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BRITISH STEEL TRUST ACCOMPLISHED FACT

For the Present It Covers Rails Only, and Includes All the Big Plants in the Kingdom.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]
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LONDON, Sept. 15.—A British steel trust is now an accomplished fact. After secret negotiations, carried on during many months, an association of the British steel rail manufacturers has been successfully formed to control prices and regulate the output. So far as it can be ascertained, the concern has no registered office.

There are eight great steel rail manufacturing concerns in the United Kingdom, and all of these are said to be included in the British Rail Makers' association. The capital of these firms may be taken roughly at about $60,000,000; but in addition, several of them have large debenture issues.

It is understood the association at present does not affect any articles of manufactured steel except steel rails.

ROOT RETURNS HOME.

Secretary Lauds From Europe and Tells What He Thinks of Army and Navy Maneuvers.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Elihu Root, secretary of war, returned from Europe on the steamship Kroonland today. Mr. Root was not accompanied by his wife and daughters, who remain on the other side until October.

Concerning the recent naval maneuvers on the New England coast, Mr. Root said: "There is nothing like a sham battle to make the officers and men in the navy and army realize what they may have to do some day. A man, although he may be an excellent machinist, will surely grow stale if he does not use his tools now and then."

Secretary Root said he would leave at once for Washington.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—DeWolf Hopper in "Mr. Pickwick," 8:15 p. m.
NEW BRAND—New stock company in "A Stranger in a Strange Land," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
BIJOU—"King of the Detectives," 8:15 p. m.
EMPIRE—"A Mother's Heart," 8:15 p. m.
ACADEMY—Harry Bryant's Burlesquers, 8:15 p. m.
PITTSBURGH EXPOSITION—Sousa's band in concert afternoon and evening, and Miss Liebling.

BISHOP FALLOWS SAYS THE STRIKE MUST BE SETTLED

He Passed Through Pittsburgh on His Way to Confer With President John Mitchell, of the Miners.

WILL SPEND A WEEK IN THE ANTHRACITE COAL REGION

"The strike among the miners in the Pennsylvania anthracite coal fields must be settled," declared Bishop Samuel Fallows of the Reformed Episcopal church of Chicago last night while on his way to Philadelphia to confer with President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America relative to an agreement in the present labor difficulties.

"Delays are always dangerous," continued the bishop, "and in the present instance the whole country is suffering. I repeat that this strike must be settled. The financial, the political, the industrial and the social conditions of the American nation demand it. Labor does not hold out its hand in plaintive appeal—it raises its strong arm and demands its right in a righteous cause. Delay in effecting an agreement can only result in weakening the position of capital and in further entrenching the miners in their hold upon the public sentiment of this whole broad land.

"Delay will bring a long train of evil. It will bring suffering and hunger to those who are not directly interested in this contention. It has seriously affected business throughout the country. It is breeding discontent where there should be happiness. It is sowing the seeds of anarchy. In the midst of these conditions it should be apparent to every mine operator and to every American who has the welfare of his country at heart that the strike should be settled at once."

Goes on a Mission.

Bishop Fallows in his visit to the anthracite coal regions goes to fill a mission he has frequently been called upon to perform in behalf of American labor. A week ago President Mitchell asked the officials of the labor organizations in the west for aid and suggestions in the settlement of the strike, and with one accord all turned to Bishop Fallows.

The Chicago relief committee of one hundred, an organization representing all the leading workingmen's unions of the middle west, immediately invited Bishop Fallows to go to Philadelphia, meet President Mitchell and with a number of other officers of the mine workers to make a thorough investigation of the conditions at the scene of the strike. The bishop

BISHOP SAMUEL FALLOWS.

at once assented and left Chicago late Friday night on very brief notice.

A reporter for The Gazette met Bishop Fallows on the Philadelphia express at Carnegie on the Panhandle railroad and remained with him during his journey through the city. Few men are so eminently fitted for the mission the bishop has undertaken. He is a man of keen intellect and possesses a vast experience in dealing with industrial problems such as face the country at the present moment. He has a varied knowledge of men and is respected by all classes for his liberal opinions and his earnest devotion to the cause of struggling humanity. His experience embraces a term of thrilling service in the civil war and travels in every land. He has been a lifelong student of sociology and is an authority on all themes pertaining to social jurisprudence. He looks upon the strike largely from the workers' viewpoint.

To Make an Investigation.

"I shall spend a week or perhaps longer in the anthracite region," said the bishop. "When I was commissioned by the Chicago committee to investigate the conditions confronting the miners and the mine operators I declared that I would do nothing in haste, but would inform myself of everything concerning the grievances of the workmen and would report to them. Then I shall make an appeal for its settlement and will expect all classes of citizens to voice a similar sentiment since we shall all be able by that time to understand the true state of affairs.

"I shall go into the homes of the miners and study their grievances around the family hearth. I shall mingle with all elements, Americans and aliens alike, and will be accompanied by interpreters from whom I expect to be able to learn more closely the views of the foreign miners, who are making the bitterest struggle. I shall go into the mines where the opportunity offers and shall not be stopped by an armed guard for it is particularly the causes that led to disturbing the public peace that I expect to observe. I have a camera and will use it to preserve some of the scenes to be presented when the report is made to the Chicago committee.

"I have never met President Mitchell personally, and it is not true that I intended meeting him here in Pittsburgh today in order to confer with him. I want to see the actual conditions before I hold any conferences. One of my reasons for hurrying to Philadelphia tomorrow is to be present at the early morning session of the annual congress of the American Prison association, of which I am a member. Immediately after attending the meeting I shall go to the heart of the coal fields."

"Do you expect to meet Gov. Stone?" the bishop was asked.

May Meet J. Pierpont Morgan.

"Not unless a meeting is arranged in the east. However, for the present I would rather pursue my investigations. If the governor desires to effect a settlement, so much the better. It seems to be a part of his duty, inasmuch as the strike is detrimental to the industries of his commonwealth."

"Do you expect to meet J. Pierpont Morgan?"

"That will depend upon circumstances. I think Mr. Morgan is amenable to reason and when he is brought to understand thoroughly the true elements of the strike and the consequences that are certain to follow if the disturbance is permitted to go on, he will be quite ready to make concessions, or at least listen to the suggestion of arbitration.

"There are three factors that we must consider in the anthracite strike and in every strike," continued the bishop. "These are the employes, the employers and the public. In the present trouble it must be conceded that the workers have the sentiment of the public in their favor. In Chicago liberal donations have been made by all labor organizations. The relief committee, headed by Judge Miles Kehoe of Cook county, Ill., has furnished thousands of dollars, and it can be said that the work has only fairly begun. Yesterday 1,100 churches in Chicago, representing all denominations, contributed to the fund in the hands of the committee. Before this was received $8,000 was ready to send to the families of the dependent workmen.

Sentiment in Chicago.

"I said that public sentiment was with the strikers, and this illustrates how public sentiment stands in Chicago. On Labor Day a huge wooden box was carried in the procession and for miles coin and bank notes were showered into the big cash box. In the evening it was sent to the trustees of the public subscription fund.

"I have told you only what Chicago is doing. The same is true of all other large towns in that section. Surely the mine operators should see that with this great industrial army the strikers will remain steadfast in their demands for concessions. Looking at the strike from the operators' own standpoint, I cannot imagine why they should let this state of affairs continue. They should see that the workingmen are strengthening their organizations every day and that every hour arbitration is deferred the conflict will be waged with increasing bitterness.

"During my stay in the anthracite regions I shall give considerable attention to the study of the problem of child labor to see if children are granted the benefits of the state laws respecting their condition. Child labor is the root of a great and growing evil. How can we expect to have an intelligent, moral and peaceable community 10 years hence in a place where the youth today are forced to work beyond their endurance in the black caverns of a coal mine? In times like these we are too prone to look only at the present, but the sociologist in days to come will have a fine field for study underneath the chaos of labor's upheavals."

Hurried on to the East.

Bishop Fallows remained at the Pittsburg Union station just 10 minutes yesterday afternoon and departed at 4:50 o'clock for Philadelphia. He was not met by any of the local officers of the United Mine Workers and none of the members of the organization in this city received any official notification of his coming. The dispatch from Chicago published in The Gazette yesterday morning, stating that Bishop Fallows had started east, gave rise to a rumor that he would meet President Mitchell here and that they would confer with M. K. McMullin and Senator William Flinn regarding a settlement of the strike. Mr. McMullin denied all knowledge of such an arrangement, and when the bishop was asked if a meeting here had been suggested to him he replied in the negative.

TO DISCUSS RELIEF

Object of Conference Today At Strike Headquarters At Wilkesbarre. Gompers Has Plan.

WILKESBARRE, Sept. 15.—An important conference will be held at strike headquarters tomorrow.

Among those who will take part will be President Mitchell, District Presidents Nicholls, Duffy and Fahy and National Treasurer Wilson, Samuel B. Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and Bishop Fallows, of the Reformed Episcopal church of Chicago.

It is stated the chief topic that will be discussed will be the relief plan. Mr. Gompers, it is said, has some proposition to make which will insure steady relief for the striking miners all winter should they decide to continue the battle.

Mahon Is Renominated.

LEWISTOWN, PA., Sept. 15.—At the Republican conference of the Seventeenth congressional district held here today Hon. Thaddeus M. Mahon of Chambersburg was renominated on the twentieth ballot. There was seven candidates.

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STATE EVIDENCE ABOUT COMBINES TO BE EXTORTED

New Anti-Trust Bill's Plan to Get Around the Constitution.

PROVISIONS FOR FULL PUBLICITY

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Boston, Sept. 15.—The Boston Advertiser tomorrow will publish an authoritative forecast of the Littlefield anti-trust bill, which has been indorsed by President Roosevelt and will be introduced in the house in the early weeks of the next session of congress.

Both Attorney General Knox and Representative Littlefield pointed out to the president that the great trouble with the anti-trust legislation up to this time is that people have been unable to prove the inside workings of the trust. They both recognize that if anything is to be done it must be possible to get at the big men. Yet how can the big men be brought on the stand to testify against themselves when the constitution says no man is to be convicted upon his own testimony; that he shall not "be compelled in any criminal case to be a witness against himself?" The plan for getting around this constitutional bar is ingenious. It is also very simple. The arrangement is this:

Forced to Turn State's Evidence.

"In all prosecutions, hearings and proceedings, no person shall be excused from attending and testifying, or from producing books, papers, contracts, agreements and documents before the courts of the United States, or the commissioners thereof, or in obedience to the subpoena of said courts or commissioners, on the ground or for the reason that the testimony or evidence, documentary or otherwise required of him, may tend to criminate him or subject him to a penalty or forfeiture; but no person shall be prosecuted or subjected to any penalty or forfeiture for or on account of any transaction, matter or thing concerning which he may testify or produce evidence."

In other words, if men like Morgan, Hill and Vanderbilt should be engaged in a railroad deal which secretly embodies some agreement of a trust character, any complainant who suffers injury from this agreement can bring these kings of finance into court and make one of them testify against the others—make him turn state's evidence against his own will. The man who sues a trust and has the facts behind him that will prove that he has suffered damages from the operations of any company which works in restraint of interstate trade or commerce, is:

Compensation of the Complainant.

First—To receive three times the actual amount of damage suffered.

Second—To have all his lawyers' fees paid by the trust.

Third—To have the trust pay all other expenses of the suit, including the court costs.

Any man who has an agreed case against the trusts can go to the best lawyer in the United States and can summon witnesses from anywhere within the jurisdiction of the federal government, with the certainty that the trust, and not he, is to meet all the enormous expenses incurred. He will know also that he can summon the trust officials themselves on the witness stand and prove his own case by the testimony of some man who knows all the facts.

But the anti-trust bill will go further than that, and will attempt to hold a shield over any speculator who goes into the stock market and buys trust securities. All corporations engaged in interes-

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COL. W. F. RICHARDSON.
Superintendent of the State Arsenal, Who Was Seriously Injured in a Runaway Accident Near Paxtang, Pa., on Sunday. He Was Gov. Stone's Messenger in His Recent Negotiations With President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers.

SEVENTEEN MEN CAUGHT IN MINE BY EXPLOSION

Rescuers Are Driven Back by Gas, Leaving No Hope for Victims.

ONLY TWO MAKE ESCAPE

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

North Fork, W. Va., Sept. 15.—A gas and powder explosion occurred in the Big Four mine of the Algoma Coal and Coke Company here this morning about 8 o'clock, as the result of which James Lester, an engineer; John Reckie, a Hungarian miner, and 15 colored miners are known to be imprisoned in the mine. There is hardly one chance of the men to be recovered alive, as they are beyond the point where the explosion occurred.

The gas and smoke is so thick that all rescuing parties have been driven back. H. Franckenfeld, a mining boss, and George Gaspie, a Hungarian miner, succeeded in crawling over the fallen coal and slate after the explosion to the lights of the rescuing party, and were taken out alive, although badly burned and nearly suffocated by gas and smoke.

The explosion is said to have been caused by an accumulation of gas catching on fire from the lamp of a miner who was going to work and this in turn fired six kegs of blasting powder that had been stored back in the mines.

The explosion knocked down all of the brattices for a quarter of a mile back toward the mine entrance, thus cutting out all of the air from the imprisoned men.

A rescuing party headed by Mine Inspector Cooper attempted a rescue this morning, but were driven back by the want of air.

The coal is burning and there is no hope of extinguishing the flames until a new air passage can be built to the point of the explosion.

Superintendent Stuart has a large force of men at work now, and will make another attempt to reach the imprisoned men.

BLUEFIELDS, W. VA., Sept. 15.—(11:30 P. M.)—A telephone message just received from Algoma says 11 bodies have just been recovered from the mines and that six more bodies are to be taken out. So far those recovered are all colored miners with the exception of one white miner named Lester.

SISTER VISITS BRUTE BENNETT IN HIS PRISON

She Advises Him to Plead Guilty, but He Is Playing Insane.

HIS CHILD VICTIM IS DOING NICELY

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Butler, Pa., Sept. 15.—With the exception of the broken windows and doors in the jail all evidence of Saturday night's riot have disappeared. A few people visited the jail building today out of curiosity. The ropes which were stretched last night to prevent a close approach to the building were removed this morning and the guard was withdrawn. To all appearances a normal condition now prevails. Rumors that the jail is to be dynamited still continue to circulate, but Sheriff Heon is confident that no further trouble will occur.

John H. Wagner, father of the little girl so brutally treated by Joseph Bennett, today made two informations against Bennett before Justice Jacob Keck. No time was fixed for a hearing, as it would be an unwise proceeding to take Bennett from the jail while the temper of the people remains as it is now.

Bennett may forestall a hearing by going into court tomorrow and entering a plea of guilty. He has been advised by many to do this. One of his sisters visited him in jail today, and it is said she advised him to take this course. He would not say that he would do so.

He has been acting queerly ever since his incarceration, and the general impression is that he is feigning insanity in the hope that he may be sent to an asylum instead of to prison. In fact, it has been reported today that a commission to look into his mental condition is a possibility. However, no one in authority knows of such a move. Deputy Sheriff Hoon says that Bennett acted just as he is acting now when they had him in jail before. The deputy considers him a bad one, and is of the opinion that the penitentiary is the place for him.

Theona Wagner, Bennett's victim, is still improving and her chances for recovery are considered very good.

THREATENS PRESIDENT.

Cincinnati Police Hold Man Who Wants to Be Follower of Czolgosz—Seeking Evidence.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 15.—The police are holding Joseph Schmitz, aged 40, on a charge of loitering, until they can investigate a statement that he has threatened to take the life of President Roosevelt.

Schmitz was arrested on Saturday on the complaint of two elderly sisters, who said that he had entered their premises and insisted on staying there.

The police are now looking for persons to whom he is said to have made the threat against the president.

AGREEMENT EXPECTED.

Conferees From Fayette, Greene and Somerset Will Meet Today.

The Republican conferees of the Twenty-third congressional district arrived in Pittsburgh and will meet today. The three counties that compose the district, Greene, Somerset and Fayette, are in a deadlock. In accordance with the rules of the party Senator Quay, as state chairman, appointed an additional conferee for each county. If the conferees do not agree on a candidate by Wednesday at midnight the state chairman will appoint an umpire.

One of the candidates said last night that he did not believe that an umpire would be necessary, but that the conferees would agree on a nomination.

PRESIDENT WAIVES HIS RULE AND SHAKES HANDS WITH ALL

About 10,000 of His Long Island Neighbors Take Advantage of the General Invitation to Greet Roosevelt.

A CORDON OF DETECTIVES BARS AGAINST FOUL PLAY

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Oyster Bay, L. I., Sept. 15.—Standing on the veranda of his summer home this afternoon, President Roosevelt greeted and shook hands with about 10,000 men, women and children, his "friends and neighbors of Nassau county," as he calls them. His visitors were from all classes and conditions in life—country folk, farmers and villagers, laborers and town officials, well-to-do summer residents and school children, who tramped across the president's porch, ignoring the dignity the occasion demanded, and sang to the popular airs played by several brass bands.

Beyond the necessary precautions taken to maintain order in the concourse trailing along the roadway and the hillside, the president's reception was marked by absence of formality. Bright sunshine flooded the sloping lawns on Sagamore hill, the clumps of woodland in the dells below and the broad expanse of Oyster bay, on which all the pleasure craft were flying their colors.

There was an air of hearty cordiality at the president's home. Everybody felt that he was welcome. The endless streams of visitors left the veranda on the north side of the house, with smiles of pleasure beaming from their faces.

Small Chance for an Assassin.

But in the background, unnoticed, and scarcely suspected, detectives and a host of government agents kept a rigid surveillance over the throngs that streamed to the president's side. From the village to Sagamore hill, every person who visited the president had been scrutinized by several hundred watchful eyes. Under the pretext of keeping order on the hill road, or while helping men up the steps of the veranda, bulging coat pockets were deftly touched by trained hands and the contents of suspicious-looking bundles were cleverly learned by secret service agents, postoffice inspectors and detectives from the police headquarters of New York.

In the caution exercised by the persons about the president, there was manifested a secret dread of some possible danger; and no one kept a more careful watch over the president than his eldest son, Theodore, Jr. The 15-year-old boy had appointed himself a special guard over his father. Stationed at his left, and never once leaving his father while the reception lasted, young Theodore's keen eyes watched every person that approached, scrutinized his hands and every object he might be carrying.

Special trains began to roll in early, with badge and ribbon-decorated hosts, each one accompanied by a brass band. Then did lemonade, sandwich and ginger bread stands begin to appear on the sidewalks of Oyster Bay. By some strange coincidence the first tune played by each band on its arrival was "A Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight."

Made a Fourth of July of It.

Though the general purpose of the occasion was the visiting of the president by the residents of Nassau county at the president's invitation, they came to make it a general patriotic celebration, with the visit to the president as a center. The very fact that most of the people arrived here three hours and more before the more formal ceremonies of the day began, was proof of this.

The procession of the visitors formed at 2 o'clock. Chairman Frank Travers marshaled his parade of hundreds of surreys, flag-decorated hay-wagons, ancient hacks, grocery delivery wagons and low buckboards, and with the five bands scattered at intervals, the line proceeded first on a tour of the town. The home of William F. Sheehan, the former lieutenant governor, is on a hill three-quarters of a mile back from the village. The procession went there, nevertheless, for Mr. Sheehan's decorations were so elaborate that it was the sense of the committee that they could not be ignored. Mr. Travers saw to it that nobody should say of him that there was anything partisan about today's proceedings.

The line of march was by the road, with its beautiful villas an either side, to Cove Neck. All along this road the village committee had men at work last night suspending great 50-foot flags from wires strung to trees and telegraph poles, so that as far as one looked up or down the red, white and blue waved majestically over the line of carriages.

Welcomed by the President.

And then, followed by thousands on foot, the carriages started for Sagamore hill. At the entrance to the president's grounds there hung two big flags and a banner inscribed with the word, "Welcome." Two closely-packed lines of vehicles of every description drove beneath a triumphal arch of national colors up the Cove Neck hillside.

Alighting from the conveyances at a point opposite the tennis court, the visitors trudged up the winding road, which was roped off to the veranda steps of the president's home. Big national flags nearly concealed the upper stories of the house on Sagamore hill.

On the veranda with the president were Mrs. Roosevelt, Mrs. W. Emlen Roosevelt, Mrs. E. Reeve Merritt, Miss Christine Roosevelt, young Theodore, Miss Lorraine Roosevelt and the various members of the reception committee. President Roosevelt wore a frock coat, gray trousers and a gray necktie. His face beamed with happiness, and he seemed to be in his element as he chatted with his friends, shook hands with old acquaintances and exchanged hurried reminiscences with individuals among the thousands who passed in a procession before him. The president especially enjoyed amusing and often pathetic incidents as they occurred.

At the porch steps the crowd formed in single file and marched around the veranda, where the president stood on the western side of the house, in a position overlooking the sound and the connecting shore.

Shook Hands With All.

Because the president regards the people of Nassau county as his particular neighbors, an exception was made in the rules of public receptions that have obtained of late, and the president shook hands with every man, woman and child that passed before him. Mrs. Roosevelt stood beside the president for part of the time.

It was in every respect like a white house reception, so far as receiving the visitors was concerned. The reception hours were from 3 until 6 o'clock. Light refreshments were served on the lawn to the visitors and the callers also got a souvenir lemonade glass with the word "Welcome" written on it.

It would be difficult indeed for the visiting stranger to learn anything of the actual conformation of the houses down in the village of Oyster Bay. They are so covered with bunting and flags that only vague outlines are visible. All this morning householders were rushing into the stores and buying more flags, and more bolts of red, white and blue cloth when the flag stock was exhausted, and they added many new draperies to those prepared last week.

The president, in honor of whom all these decorations have been displayed, did not have an opportunity to see them as a part of today's program; but there is a rumor that he will visit the village tomorrow morning and look it over.

Senators to Get a Share.

It has been suggested through official channels that it will be well to leave the decorations hanging until Tuesday, if for no other purpose than that of doing honor to the six senators—Messrs. Hanna, Aldrich, Spooner, Allison, C. H. Platt and Lodge—who are to visit the president tomorrow.

This is no time for casting aspersions at Oyster Bay, but it may be stated as a general proposition that if Oyster Bay, having loosened up and decorated itself, can get a little more for its money by keeping the decorations up another day, Oyster Bay is not the community to overlook the opportunity.

Much surprise was manifested among visitors at the reception when the Rev. Henry Homer Washburn, pastor of Christ Protestant Episcopal church, who, it was thought, annoyed President Roosevelt by his sermon yesterday, appeared and was cordially greeted by the chief executive. Rumor had it that the rector, after his remarks about trusts and laudation of the president, which seemed to embarrass Mr. Roosevelt at the time, would not be present today. However, he received a special invitation to be present, from which it was inferred that the president did not feel as strongly in regard to the sermon as many had believed. In discussing his remarks tonight the Rev. Mr. Washburn said:

Sorry the President Was There.

"I wish President Roosevelt had stayed away from the church services; but I said nothing about the trusts which the president did not say on his trip. I could have gone a great deal further into the subject, but I restrained myself. I am greatly in favor of the government ownership of the trusts, but I am afraid my sermon has been taken in a wrong way."

It is understood that the warden and vestrymen of Christ church are angry because the rector preached such a sermon at what was called a McKinley memorial service, and will call a meeting soon to discuss the subject. Reports were even current tonight that Mr. Washburn would be asked to resign.

W. Emlen Roosevelt, one of the church wardens, when asked this evening for an opinion about the sermon said it was "too serious a matter to discuss." He would not deny that a meeting would be held to discuss the subject.

When informed of the death of ex-Justice Gray of the supreme court, who died today, President Roosevelt said: "I had a high and peculiar respect for Justice Gray. I felt that he had done the greatest possible service as justice, and I sincerely mourn his death. I am deeply shocked and grieved."

Nothing Daunts Him.

The president today expressed his feelings to a woman in the crowd who asked him if he was getting tired.

"Not a bit," he replied. "It takes more than a trolley car to knock me out, or a crowd to tire me."

Toward the close of the reception the New York policemen wished their picture taken with the president. When the request was made the president complied at once.

"This is one time I really want a picture taken," he said. "I know these men and I admire them. I am proud to have my picture taken with them."

Lost Boy Was Discovered Helping to Find Himself.

The old custom of locating a lost boy was used last night on the South Side. Early in the day little Jimmy Burk wandered away from his home in South Twentieth street. The police were notified and last night persons on the street were astonished and somewhat amused by several young men going about the streets ringing a large bell and crying, "Lost boy; lost boy."

The spectacle attracted a crowd of urchins and they followed the bell, also taking up the cry. For half an hour this was carried on, when it was suddenly discovered one of the followers was little Jimmy, who, at the top of his voice, was crying, "Lost boy; lost boy."

THE POLICE MAY FEEL THE FATE OF COUNCILMEN

St. Louis Circuit Attorney Threatens Another Sensational Exposure.

PROVOKED BY OFFICERS' LACK OF ZEAL.

Constabulary Shows Little Energy in Running Down Alleged Boodlers—Terrible Remorse Brought on by a Death.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

St. Louis, Sept. 15.—Circuit Attorney Joseph W. Folk is much displeased with the lax efforts put forth by the police and sheriff's departments to apprehend Charles F. Kelly and the other missing delegates under indictment for bribery. He is convinced that these departments are not working cordially with him in the present boodle investigation, and he is satisfied that had the proper effort been put forth Kelly at least would have been under arrest days ago.

Mr. Folk regards it as absurd that the police should claim to know so positively that Kelly is in the city, and yet should be unable to produce him.

Today Mr. Folk expressed for the first time his sense of indignation at the lukewarm support given to the bribery investigation by the constabulary. He intimated that unless the missing delegates are apprehended without further unnecessary delay, he would reveal certain facts which the police department would not relish being made public, and would cause another sensation near to that of the return of Murrell and resulting events.

Jeff Davis Plan of Escape.

A wild rumor that Kelly had left the city disguised as a woman was thoroughly investigated by agents of the circuit attorney today. The report was that a party of 10 or 12 big politicians and business men gathered in a vacant flat upstairs at a certain number in the West End, and after being in the house for a few minutes, emerged again and entered carriages in which they drove rapidly in the direction of the Vandeventer avenue station of the Wabash railroad, but, according to the report, the number of men who came out of the house was one less than the number that went in, and the party which came out comprised a person in woman's clothing, who had not gone in with them.

Mr. Folk says he has learned that the gathering was for political purposes, and that any unusual incidents which occurred may be explained away in quite another manner than on the theory that Kelly left the house in woman's garb and quit the city.

The grand jury began today its investigation into the present house of delegates' treatment of the bill to regulate street railways, including a provision to license all street cars, an innovation which would increase the city's revenue about $150,000 annually. The bill was killed in the house of delegates, and rumor has it that the house held the street railway companies up for $68,000 before they suppressed the dangerous bill. The investigation may not be concluded for several days.

Death Brings Terrible Remorse.

Eugene Gutke, the young son of Charles Gutke, one of the imprisoned boodlers, died early this morning. When the father learned the news in the four courts, he acted as one demented, shouting out his grief and rage, calling upon God to strike him dead, throwing himself upon the floor in paroxysms of remorse, and eventually losing all control of himself, so that it was necessary to use sedatives to quiet him.

Col. Edward Butler, who had been notified that he could go on no more bonds for boodlers, appeared before Judge Walter B. Douglas and made so pitiful a plea for Gutke that Judge Douglas finally consented to accept Butler as bail in Gutke's case, making the total amount for which he is standing good $180,000.

Judge Douglas gave Gutke permission to go home in custody of a deputy sheriff. Delegate Edmund Bersch, out on bonds aggregating $45,000, volunteered to go to jail in place of Gutke for a few days, so that Gutke might be at home until after the funeral of his son. Judge Douglas gave his consent to the substitution.

Judge Douglas later decided to accept Edward Butler and Henry Eyermann on Gutke's bond, and, therefore, Bersch will not be called upon to make the sacrifice.

THE WEATHER.

Warmer.

The remarkably cold weather that has prevailed for two days is scheduled to abate and fair and warmer is the forecast to rule during today and tomorrow. The maximum yesterday was 67, and the minimum 41, which was colder than any day we have had this season. The Gazette's weather service thermometers at the corner of Fifth avenue and Smithfield street registered the following temperatures yesterday:

12 noon	61	8 p. m.	61
4 p. m.	59	12 midnight	54

Time of sunrise today ..... 6:40 a. m.
Time of sunset today ..... 6:10 p. m.

Daily report for yesterday furnished by the United States weather bureau:

Time.	Bare.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weath.
8 a. m.	30.20	48	89	S.E.	Clear
8 p. m.	30.20	58	64	N.	Smoky

Comparative temperature and precipitation for the past six years:

	1902	1901	1900	1899	1898	1897	1896
Maximum	77	78	76	82	92	72	73
Minimum	48	50	45	59	65	46	62
Mean	62	64	58	70	78	59	68
Precipitation	.72	T.	.76	.01	T.	.26	

Maximum temperature 1902 p. m. 67
Minimum temperature 1902 a. m. 44
Mean temperature 56
Normal temperature (for 31 years) 67
Deficiency in temperature for the day 11
Deficiency in temperature since Sept. 1 71
Deficiency in temperature since Jan. 1 178
Normal precipitation (for 31 years) ..... .60
Precipitation for the day 0
Deficiency in precipitation for the day ..... .60
Deficiency in precipitation since 1st mo. ..... .14
Deficiency in precipitation since Jan. 1 ..... 4.08

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia—Fair Tuesday; warmer Wednesday; fair; fresh south winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.

Pittsburgh	58 Cloudy	New York	64 Clear
Cincinnati	64 Clear	Buffalo	60 Clear
Indianapolis	62 Clear	Cleveland	64 Clear
Columbus	62 Clear	Marquette	64 Cloudy
Chicago	62 Clear	Detroit	64 Cloudy
Cairo	66 Clear	St. Paul	70 Pt'Cldy
Kansas City	70 Cldy	Helena	64 Cloudy
Oklahoma	76 Clear	Bismarck	64 Cloudy
Pittsburgh	58 Cloudy	Huron	68 Clear
N. Orleans	76 Clear	St. Platte	74 Pt'Cldy
Chattan'ga	70 Clear	Dodge City	80 Clear
Louisville	70 Clear	Norfolk	62 Clear
Memphis	76 Clear	Memphis	74 Clear
Des Moines	66 Clear	Denver	72 Clear
St. Louis	66 Clear	Cheyenne	72 Cloudy
Minnedosa	54 Clear	Rapid City	66 Cloudy
Bismarck	58 Clear	Salt Lake	64 Pt'Cldy
Philadelp'a	64 Clear		

STATE CAPITOL CONTRACT IS LET

GEORGE F. PAYNE & CO., LOWEST BIDDERS.

Building Is to Have a Granite Dome and Cost $3,710,000, the Lowest Bid Submitted.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARRISBURG, Sept. 15.—George F. Payne & Co. of Philadelphia were awarded the contract for the new capitol today by the state capitol commission at the bid of $3,710,000 for a building with a granite dome. The firm was the lowest bidder for the granite dome construction, which was recommended by Joseph M. Huston of Philadelphia, the architect of the building, and Bernhard R. Green of Washington, D. C., supervising engineer to the commission.

William F. Miller & Sons and Roydhouse, Arey & Co. of Pittsburgh and Philadelphia were the lowest bidders if terra cotta were used in the construction of the dome. Their bid was $3,458,000, with $225,000 to be added if a granite dome should be determined upon.

Payne & Co. bid $3,600,000, with $110,000 more for a granite dome. The Colonial Construction Company of Philadelphia offered to construct the building for $3,640,000 if Clark Island granite were used; $3,569,000 if Stonington granite were used, with $124,000 added if there should be a granite dome.

These four firms, together with Doyle & Dosk and Henderson & Co. of Philadelphia and Norcross Bros. of Boston, whose bids were higher than the others, were the only bidders entered in the competition, which closed September 6.

All the bids were considered at a meeting of the commission in Gov. Stone's office this afternoon, which lasted for nearly five hours. The building will be constructed of granite and the architect and engineer suggested that the dome be constructed of the same material, so as to make the building uniform.

None of the bids provide for decorations, for which $350,000 of the $4,000,000 appropriated by the last legislature for the building has been set aside by the commission. The mural decorations will be painted by Edwin A. Abbey, the celebrated Philadelphia artist; the sculpture work and the carvings will be by George Gray Bernard of New York. Miss Violet Oakley of Philadelphia will decorate one room in the building to be designated by Architect Huston.

Work will begin on the building by October 1, and by the terms of the contract it must be completed not later than January 1, 1906. Payne & Co.'s bid was accompanied by a bond given by a Baltimore company for 2 per cent of the contract price of the building.

STATE EVIDENCE ABOUT COMBINES TO BE EXTORTED

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state commerce, not merely the big concerns like the trusts, but practically every business concern which fills orders outside of the state in which its home office is located, is to file every year with the secretary of the treasury a statement showing its name, date of organization, where and when organized, giving statutes under which it is organized and all amendments thereof; if consolidated, naming constituent companies, with the same information as far as applicable; if reorganized, the name of the original corporation or corporations, with full reference to laws under which all the reorganizations have taken place.

Other Information Required.

In addition, the statement must show the amount of authorized capital stock, shares into which it is divided and par value; amount issued and outstanding, amount paid in, whether paid in cash or property, describing in detail the kind and character, with its cash market value at the time it was received in payment, giving the elements upon which the market value is based, a statement of assets, specific and circumstantial, total earnings and incomes, operating expenses, interest, taxes, maintenance, permanent improvement, net earnings and dividends declared and other details, even to the salaries of the officials and the wages of employes.

Any official who makes, or causes to be made a false statement, or prepares or causes to be prepared any incorrect figures, shall be guilty of perjury or subornation of perjury. The object of these returns is not simply to protect the stockholders, or bondholders, but to get after J. P. Morgan's supposed policy of "capitalizing earnings."

To carry out this feature of the program there is to be imposed a tax of 1 per cent a year on all capital stock issued and outstanding of any corporation engaged in interstate commerce whose outstanding capital stock is not fully paid in cash, or any property at its cash market value or whose capital stock is based wholly or in part, directly or indirectly, during any period of its development, upon the capitalization of earnings, earning capacity or economies.

WOMAN TRIED SUICIDE.

Ray Davis Took Carbolic Acid Because Police Ordered Hill District Houses Closed.

Ray Davis, a negress, who has kept a resort at No. 14 Sacham alley for several years, took carbolic acid last evening with suicidal intent, and will probably die. Dr. C. H. Hlarioft was called and made an effort to save the woman's life, but with little chance for success.

The attempt at suicide is due to the edict of Superintendent McAleese for the closing of disorderly houses in the hill district.

The woman's house was included in the raids made Saturday night. She was arrested and on Sunday morning paid a fine of $100 and costs. After being fined she grew despondent and continued in that condition until she swallowed the acid. The woman is 25 years old, and has resided in Pittsburgh all her life.

FOUGHT UNDER OLD GLORY.

Venezuela Ship Flies American Flag While Bombarding City.

PORT OF SPAIN, TRINIDAD, Sept. 15.—(Copyright, Cable.)—The latest advices from Ciudad Bolivar, Venezuela, are that the recent bombardment of that town damaged 350 houses.

Robert Henderson, United States consular agent, asserts, according to authenticated advices, that when the Venezuelan gunboat Restaurador, opened fire upon the town she was flying the United States flag at her foremast. The Restaurador is said to have substituted the Venezuelan for the United States flag when she was joined by the Venezuelan gunboat Bolivar.

CAMPBELL'S.

Swell Fashions in Ladies' Suits.

All the latest autumn styles now showing—the largest and most complete assortment of medium-priced suits in the city—exclusiveness is marked on every suit. You have the satisfaction of knowing you get the best possible values for the money. Perfect-fitting and high-class tailoring is guaranteed in every garment. Examine our line before buying elsewhere.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE,
327-333 Fifth Avenue.

A whirlwind farewell! That artistic duo, Sousa and Liebling, will experience one at the New Exposition tonight, the last of their brilliant engagement.

Is Sousa still popular? 75,000 wild enthusiasts at the new Exposition have declared he is Super-Popular. He gives his last concerts tonight.

Estelle Liebling has completely captured New Exposition audiences! Tonight she sings her last solo, and standing room even will be a luxury.

SECOND SUICIDE ADDED TO OLYMPIA'S DEATH ROLL

BOSTON, MASS., Sept. 15.—Lieut. John R. Morris, U. S. N., was found dead in his stateroom on the United States warship Olympia by a fellow officer today. He had committed suicide by shooting with a revolver. The Olympia is anchored off the Boston navy yard. Lieut. Morris was the engineering officer of the Olympia and began his duty on that ship January 25 last. No cause is known for his act.

Lieut. Morris was appointed to the naval academy from Missouri. He was made a naval cadet November 15, 1880, and was honorably discharged June 20, 1895. April 17, 1896, he re-entered the navy and was made an assistant engineer. Then on March 3, 1899, his rank was changed to ensign. He became a lieutenant (junior grade), April 17, 1899, and got his rank as lieutenant July 12, 1901. He served on the Concord from 1893 to 1896, was then on the Texas and in the latter part of 1896 went to the Solace, on which he served until 1901, when he was assigned to the torpedo station until ordered to the Olympia.

Lieut. Morris is the second officer of the Olympia, Dewey's flagship, to commit suicide within five days. Chaplain William F. Morrison, U. S. N., committed suicide by shooting Thursday afternoon last at the Marine hospital, Chelsea, where he had been transferred a few days before.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 15.—John R. Morris was one of the few survivors of the battleship Maine. At the time his rank was that of assistant engineer.

INVENTORS WIN SUIT INVOLVING BIG ROYALTIES

John Brisbin and Antonie Vinnac Defeated Carnegie Steel Company.

JUDGE BUFFINGTON'S DECISION.

It Sustains Patent on Feeding Table in Use at Every Structural Mill in This Country. Made Rolled Steel Possible.

The feeding tables now used by every structural steel mill in the United States are an infringement on patents owned by John Brisbin and Antonio Vinnac of Pittsburgh, according to a decision rendered by Judge Joseph Buffington in the United States circuit court yesterday. An equity suit had been brought against the Carnegie Steel Company by the inventors, May, 1897, the case was argued last spring, and the decision, which is clear cut, will presumably stand appeals to the higher courts.

The rolling tables devised by Brisbin and Vinnac are a combination of former inventions for carrying metals to and from the rolls; and on the grounds that the invention was based on such combinations the Carnegie company claimed the patents were invalidated, and as parts of the methods had been formerly used, claims were set up that there was no infringement.

The case will create widespread attention in the steel industry, as the inventors are entitled to millions of dollars in royalties. The saving in rolling structural shapes over former methods has increased the tonnage considerably and reduced the cost.

Rollers Who Thought.

Brisbin and Vinnac were rollers when they made their inventions. Vinnac is still before the rolls, while Brisbin has become a janitor. Their device is a feeding mechanism for rolling mills, and the plan of a table moving both laterally and vertically, which they invented, is in use in every structural mill in the country.

They filed a bill in equity against the Carnegie Steel Company, Ltd., in May, 1897, charging an infringement of first and second claims of the patent granted to them on July 20, 1886, and several claims of a patent granted to Patrick Hanley and Francis M. Ritchey on November 16, 1886, and assigned to Brisbin and Vinnac. The defense of the Carnegie company was invalidity of the patent and non-infringement. The case was argued for several days before Judge Buffington last spring and yesterday his opinion went on file sustaining the patent.

In opening his opinion Judge Buffington says the case is important, as it frees from, or subjects to, patent monopoly, the mechanical rolling of steel beams used in modern building. He then goes into the question of rolling iron, describing the advance from manual to mechanical rolling, that has made possible the manufactories of today.

In view of this great advance the courts hold that it would seem just that those who have, from an inventive standpoint, substantially brought about such advance, should share proportionately in the gains thereof.

They Found the Key.

The key to the solution of the problem of continuous mechanical rolling—a pivoted table—was known to inventors but unused, the court says, for upwards of 40 years. A French patent was granted to Sauvoge in 1857 for a three-high train of rolls, with a lifting table before them. George Fritz of Johnstown, Pa., took out a patent in 1872; Frederick J. Slade of Trenton, N. J., in 1879; Christopher Lewis of Columbus in 188, Samuel T. Wellman of Cleveland, O., in 1883, in all of which the pivoted table figured to a greater or less degree.

So far as the patents show, the court finds that no further step is shown in heavy mechanical rolling, until the Brisbin and Vinnac patent. The features of all the patents mentioned above are discussed and the features of each described. Then the court says:

"In the Brisbin-Vinnac device we find, for the first time in heavy rolling—and if such a thing existed in lighter forms of rolling it has not been deemed sufficiently relevant to be called to our attention—the combination of a pivoted table, adapted to feed metal at both the upper and lower passes of more than one strand of such rolls.

They Were Inventors.

"Throughout the mass of proofs in this record, the testimony of experts, familiar with the practices of the art in this country and abroad, this one fact stands out in bold relief, unquestioned: no one prior to Brisbin and Vinnac thought of, much less embodied in form, the coupling of a pivoted table and a movable carriage. * * * Concluding that all the elements of Brisbin and Vinnac were in themselves old, yet it must be conceded that they were the first to take the separate, individual elements of advance in the rolling art and so combine them as to accomplish continuous, complete mechanical heavy rolling and make possible a new product, to-wit: a machine-rolled heavy beam.

"The separate steps of Fritz, of Slade, of Lewis, of Wellman, securing lateral, vertical movement and tilting movements were each deemed worthy of patent protection and reward. Why, then, should the step of Brisbin and Vinnac, which carried this advance to the culmination, in combining lateral and vertical in such a way that both movements could be used in each form of roll, to which prior inventors had succeeded in applying but one of such movements, be deemed not only worthy of patent protection, but of such favorable regard as the broad and important field it pertained to would warrant.

An Important Device.

"A device which transfers from the field of human toil to mechanical work, the handling of huge masses of iron heated to a point almost prohibitive to human handling, is a beneficent factor that is not to be measured by the economies of a mere labor-saving machine. While the motive and reward of the inventor is a monetary one, his work, measured by beneficent results, may rise to the dignity of the humane. At all events, in this case it fulfilled the statutory requirements of being useful and novel."

The opinion states that the use of a private table laterally moveable is the patent factor and it is not questioned that these men were the first to point out the combination. The lateral movement enabled the table to serve a plurality of roll-stands, the vertical motion of the pivoted table enabled it to reach a roll-pass on a level other than that of the carriage. The power to move was in one factor, the power to reach in the other. The unison of the two meant a flexible roller, which was a new mechanical factor with a new result—a machine-rolled product.

Carnegie steel officials, when told of the decision and asked for a statement upon the matter last evening were very reticent. It was admitted that the particular form of table covered by this patent is in wide use and that the effects of the decision would be far-reaching. No one would say whether the case will be carried to a higher court, but this is expected.

HUNGARIAN FLAG WAS NOT IN THE PARADE

Magyar Celebration At Homestead Took Place Without Any of the Threatened Trouble.

The largest Magyar celebration ever held in Homestead took place there yesterday when several hundred Magyars and many bands paraded over the principal streets of the town and a large meeting was held in the Fifth Avenue opera house. The celebration was held in honor of the tenth anniversary of the formation of the Homestead society, and additional interest was manifested in it when it was announced several days ago that the Magyar flag, recently sent to this country from Buda Pest, would be carried in the parade and displayed at the ceremony.

The Slavic residents of Homestead were opposed to the flag, owing to the questionable lettering on it, and many threats were made that trouble would result if the flag was carried. The flag was not carried in the parade, however, nor was it displayed at the hall, but a substitute flag was carried, similar in design but without the lettering. Joseph Zsenl, who brought the flag to America, was present and carried a large silver eagle which surmounts the pole of the flag that has stirred up trouble and caused an investigation to be made by the authorities in Washington.

Magyar societies from Pittsburgh, Allegheny, Homestead, Braddock, Franklin, Duquesne, McKeesport and many other towns were in the parade. In the afternoon a meeting was held in the Fifth Avenue opera house, at which many prominent Magyars were present and delivered addresses. A large American and a Hungarian flag were blessed by the Rev. K. Kovats, pastor of the Magyar Catholic church, McKeesport, and the Rev. Paul Konyha, of the Reformed church, Pittsburgh.

Those in charge of yesterday's celebration refused to say why the flag from Buda Pest was not present, but admit that it is still at Bridgeport, Conn., where it will remain until September 28, when it will be taken to Cleveland, O., to the celebration which will be held in that city by the Magyars of Ohio.

PERPETUAL MEMORIAL.

Pharmacists Honor Memory of Prof. William Proctor, Jr., of Philadelphia—Medals for Results.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Sept. 15.—A perpetual memorial to the late Prof. William Proctor, Jr., of Philadelphia, was decided upon today by the American Pharmaceutical Association at the final sessions of its fiftieth annual meeting.

About $18,000 has been raised by the association since Prof. Proctor's death in 1874, and this sum will be applied to the award of a gold medal, to be struck not more than once in three years, for the man who, in all the world, shall be adjudged most to have advanced the cause of pharmacy.

The association decided to meet at Mackinaw island, Mich., August 10, 1903.

FIGHT OVER A GIRL.

Slav Terribly Wounded by Fellow Boarder at Muckleraf.

Joseph Rikke, a Slav, about 25 years old, lay lying with his skull fractured in two places and his face, arms and chest battered, torn and bruised, at the boarding house of Michael Otso in Muckleraf.

Rikke and another boarder quarreled on Sunday night over a girl. Rikke and Andrew Vidosel started to fight with their fists. Vidosel was getting the worst of it, when he picked up a pick handle and used it with terrible effect upon Rikke. He then seized a hatchet and struck Rikke five blows on the head. Vidosel escaped.

DIED.

KENNEDY—On Monday, September 15, 1902, at 1:30 p. m., at Youngstown, O., KATHERINE, beloved wife of Michael J. Kennedy (nee Deasy), in her 26th year.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

(Youngstown papers please copy.)

SAFE AND SURE.

Avoid Get-Quick-Rich Schemes as You'd Avoid a Plague—They're Dangerous to Fool With.

The safest and surest way to get ahead in the world is to save systematically a fixed portion of your income and deposit it with a reliable bank where you'll get fair interest. The Pittsburgh Bank for Savings, Smithfield street, opposite Post Office, the second oldest savings bank in the State, accepts deposits by mail or in person of any sum from a dollar and pays Four per cent compound interest. 32,000 persons, mostly wage earners, have over Twelve million dollars in this bank's keeping. Speaks well for the thrift of our working people and for the bank that enjoys such confidence. An interesting booklet mailed to any person who mentions this paper.

18,000 people heard Sousa and Liebling at the New Exposition on Saturday last. Tonight, the last of their notable engagement, 20,000 are likely to do so.

Estelle Liebling says of the New Exposition audiences: "They are the most sympathetic in all the world." The Sousa-Liebling engagement positively ends tonight.

SMALL VILLAGE THE FIRST HALT OF BAND WAGON

But Its a Democratic Burg and Cheered Pattison and Guthrie.

A PRELIMINARY STOP IN FRANKLIN COUNTY.

But That Was Only an Impromptu, Informal affair and the Real Campaign Opening Was at McConnellsburg.

By WALTER J. CHRISTY,
Staff Correspondent.

McConnellsburg, Pa., Sept. 15.—The Democratic spellbinders have been turned loose. For some reason the party managers have selected this little village for the opening of the campaign. Fulton is strongly Democratic, and the county sent tonight is bubbling over with enthusiasm.

Men, women and children turned out to hear Robert E. Pattison and George W. Guthrie. The two are making a plea for votes on what they call state issues. To win they have to get Republican votes, and no attempt is being made to defend Democratic principles.

While McConnellsburg can claim the formal opening of the campign, St. Thomas, Franklin county, was the first place in which Pattison and Guthrie made addresses. They stopped there for a few minutes this afternoon at the solicitation of the Democrats of the town.

There was much handshaking, a little talking and then the party was hurried down the pike and over the North mountain to the capital of Fulton, Capt. George W. Skinner's political asset.

Started from Harrisburg.

The Democratic gubernatorial campaign party was brought together in Harrisburg this morning. The spellbinders are ex-Gov. Pattison, Mr. Guthrie, Maj. Moses Veale of Philadelphia and Representative Joseph W. Mayne of Allentown. James Nolan of Reading, candidate for Secretary of internal affairs, missed the train this morning and is supposed to catch up with the procession tomorrow.

At Harrisburg, T. S. Minehart of Franklin, Democratic executive committeeman, and Capt. Skinner met the party and piloted it down the Cumberland valley. The captain had to stop off at the Soldiers' Orphan school, but Minehart made the trip to McConnellsburg.

After dinner at Chambersburg, a number of Franklin county Democrats joined the candidates and the 22-mile drive began. The route was through a valley which is a living picture of Republican prosperity. Pretty homes, well-kept farms, bulging granaries and sleek cattle are convincing proof that political unrest is unknown in Franklin county.

As one drives down the western slope of the North mountain and the beautiful panorama of the valley unfolds, the traveler wonders why Fulton county people vote the Democratic ticket. It seems unnatural.

The First Campaign Racket.

About seven miles out of Chambersburg a rider dashed up the pike and drew rein at Pattisons' carriage. He was introduced as John Gelwicks of St. Thomas, and the red sash he wore denoted that he was the captain of a Democratic host. He announced that the Democrats of St. Thomas desired a few words from the candidates.

The nominees consented, and about that time other horsemen arrived and the procession started. At the edge of town the band was encountered and the first racket of the campaign was on.

As about half of the houses in St. Thomas were decorated. It is probable that the village split about even on election days. The crowd gathered down at the bank and Pattison and Guthrie told how well pleased they were with their reception. The glad hand was given to all comers, and the party passed on to McConnellsburg.

On the western slope of the mountain Pattison and Guthrie were halted by George Daniels and several hundred people. Nearer to town two bands fell into line and the candidates were marched to their hotel. It was an enthusiastic greeting, just the kind that loyal Democrats would expect to receive in little Fulton. The whole town was out, and a good many farmers had come in to help celebrate.

The McConnellsburg Meeting.

The meeting was held in the court house. The building was packed and an overflow gathering was convened on the green. In both audiences there were a great many women. The candidates and Maj. Veale and Representative Mayne addressed each of the gatherings. John B. Sipes presided at the court house meeting. He first introduced Gov. Pattison, who was followed by Mr. Humphrey.

Mr. Pattison devoted his attention, in a brief speech, to the charges of corruption made against the last general assembly.

Mr. Guthrie, after rehearsing his well-known charges of corruption in state affairs, said in concluding his speech:

In the face of all this, how can any intelligent citizen doubt that liberty and good government are the issues involved in the approaching election or hesitate as to the position he will take in the struggle?

On the one hand is the machine with an unbroken record of broken pledges, seeking to perpetuate its power by fraud and violence when it seems necessary; on the other, the united forces of good citizenship, laying aside partisanship and pledged to the enactment of reforms for the public good, the honest counting of the ballots, the maintenance of honesty and home rule in the cities and a state administration which will use all public power only for public good.

What is the part of wisdom? To trust a machine which gained and is striving to perpetuate its power by the means which it promises to reform, and does for purposes which it promises to forbid, and has shown that the orders of its leader or consideration for its own interests have always been a sufficient warrant for the violation of the most sacred oaths of office and solemn pledges to the people; or to trust to those whose interests in fair elections and honest administration are identical with your own and who have no other duty to the state and love of liberty and good government?

The decision is with you, but in making it remember that upon your decision depends the freedom of your cities, the good government of your state, and more precious than all else, the right and power of self-government, without which your liberty is a mere name.

The Cumberland valley will be visited tomorrow, the first speech being scheduled for Mercersburg early in the morning.

HELD STORMY SESSION.

House Committee of Ohio Legislature Adopts Municipal Plan.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 15.—After a stormy session tonight the code committee of the house adopted the plan of single heads for departments of municipal governments.

The board plan and the straight federal plan were voted down. It was decided that the officers of cities should consist of a mayor, a president of council and a solicitor elected for two years each; an auditor elected for three years, and a treasurer, whether appointive or elective, yet to be determined. The matter of the head of the department of public works was under consideration when the session ended.

MINE LEADERS STOP TROUBLE

DEPUTIES ASSEMBLED NOT NEEDED.

Widener Calls on Morgan in New York—Baptist Ministers Discuss Strike.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WILKESBARRE, PA., Sept. 15.—Sheriff Jacobs and a large number of deputies assembled at the court house early this morning in anticipation of trouble occurring at some of the mines. But outside of an outbreak at Old Forge, in which an Italian was badly beaten by strikers, the day was a very quiet one in the strike region. National Board Member John Fallon went to Nanticoke early in the morning to head off any trouble in that section, and other prominent officials of the United Mine Workers went to other parts of the county to advise against any marches on the collieries. But no marches were attempted, neither was there any effort made to resume work at any of the big mines.

TAMAQUA, PA., Sept. 15.—This morning the Greenwood colliery, situated at the western end of the Panther creek valley, resumed operations. Today the Lehigh Coal & Navigation Company claims gains in the Panther creek valley. No troops were sent out from Manila park this morning, but a company was kept under arms to respond to call.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—P. A. B. Widener of Philadelphia was in conference this afternoon with J. P. Morgan. Both denied that the miners' strike was discussed.

The Baptist ministers' conference at its weekly meeting today adopted resolutions protesting against a continuance of the coal strike. In case of delay of settlement the ministers would have the state of Pennsylvania use its full vested authority to relieve the public distress.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 15.—In an interview over the long distance telephone with the News today John Mitchell, at Wilkesbarre, said:

"I can't predict when the anthracite strike will be settled. If anything is done toward a settlement by the other side, I don't know of it.

"Nothing towards a settlement was accomplished at the Harrisburg conference between Gov. Stone, the presidents of the three anthracite districts, myself and others, who have been trying to end the strike. We simply met and discussed the causes and progress of the strike."

"Did Gov. Stone represent J. Pierpont Morgan or any of the anthracite presidents?"

"I did not understand that he was representing anyone but himself. There is no foundation for the report that the men are to return to work on a promise that the operators will make concessions and arbitrate afterward. The miners would not return to work under such an arrangement.

"I am certainly very hopeful now that the strike will be ended in our favor."

ASKS FOR ACTION ON RIVER IMPROVEMENT

East End Board of Trade Will Call a Joint Meeting to Favor the Ohio River Plans.

The regular monthly meeting of the East End board of trade was held last night at the headquarters in Shady avenue. A. G. Roenigk offered a resolution calling for a joint meeting of the East End, Oakland, Homewood and Hilltop boards of trade to take some action on the proposed improvement of the Ohio river to Cairo, Ill., and the advisability of the city purchasing the United States arsenal property for a park.

The resolution found instant favor among the members, and it was passed without and dissent. The meeting will be arranged for as soon as possible.

J. C. Shay brought up the matter of the Lang avenue bridge, which he said had been completed for two years, and was still closed to the public. He asked that something be done to hurry the opening of it, as its being closed was a great inconvenience to the citizens.

Councilman R. H. Douglas of the Twenty-first ward, explained that the property on which the bridge abuts, was owned by George Westinghouse, and that it was necessary to gain his consent, before the bridge could be opened. Mr. Westinghouse's continued absence from the city had prevented his consent being obtained, the councilman explained, but recently he had expressed his willingness to have the bridge opened, and, according to Councilman Douglas, it will not be long before the public will have access to it.

Prof. J. P. Stephens offered a resolution that councils be asked to pass an ordinance, restricting the erection of buildings upon residence streets. Prof. Stephens maintains that the erection of flat houses or warehouses on a residence street spoils its appearance, and he wants the evil remedied. The resolution was referred to the committee on municipal affairs for action.

VOTING ON WAGE SCALE.

Western Railroaders Balloting on Demand for Increase of From 10 to 20 Per Cent.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Lodges of railroad trainmen and railroad conductors west of a line drawn from Duluth, Minn., south to New Orleans, are voting on a proposition to ask for additional compensation for their services. E. E. Clark, grand chief of the Order of Railway Conductors, and Patrick J. Morrissey, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, stated today that owing to the vastly changed conditions as compared with those in existence at the time the present wage scales were made, both the conductors and trainmen believe they are entitled to an increase in wages.

An increase of from 10 to 20 per cent is demanded.

The lodges are now voting and sending the returns to Kansas City, where the wage committees will hold their meeting October 1. Should a two-thirds vote be cast in favor of demanding an increase in wages on one or more railroad systems or on railroads within the prescribed territory, the joint committees will prepare a uniform wage scale for all parallel lines, through lines and independent systems and feeders to these.

TWO MUST PAY.

Long-Standing Suit Against Prominent State Politicians Decided in Philadelphia Court.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 15.—After some years of controversy in the local courts the equity suit brought by the receivers of the State Insurance of Philadelphia, in which a number of politicians were interested, against its former directors to recover nearly $40,000, has been decided by Judge Audenried.

The money sought to be recovered it was claimed represented losses to the company by transactions in ground rents and mortgages. The directors sued were Frank Reeder, Henry K. Boyer, Isaac Collins, James Clarency, Robert Anderson and Charles F. Walter.

Judge Audenried finds that Anderson should pay $4,965 85, and the further sum of $10,000 with interest from May 24, 1898, while Walter is held accountable for the sum of $3,000 66. As to Henry K. Boyer, Frank Reeder, Isaac Collins and James Clarency, the other directors, the judge finds that the bill should be dismissed.

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AN INTERESTING ELECTION SEEMS TO BE PROMISED

Kingsley House Association Will Elect Board of Directors.

THE OFFICIAL TICKET MAY BE CUT.

Some Members Assert That Episcopalians Are Trying to Get Control of Directorate. Statement Is Denied.

The annual meeting of the members of the Kingsley House association for the election of a board of directors will be held tomorrow afternoon and the indications are that the ticket nominated several days ago will have opposition. It is asserted by some of the members of the association that "politics" has crept into the organization and that a sharp contest will characterize the election.

The "politics" is said to have been manifested in an attempt to give the Episcopalians the balance of power in the board while some other denominations have been entirely ignored, and several have given but scant representation. The Kingsley house is a non-sectarian institution, supported by the combined churches of the city. The regular ticket placed in nomination with 15 to elect follows: Mrs. William H. Black, C. E. E. Childers, H. D. W. English, Joseph F. Guffey, Miss Alice Holdship, William Speer Kuhn, Mrs. H. Lee Mason, Jr., J. J. Hiller, the Rev. J. H. McIlvaine, D. D., Mrs. Gilbert Rafferty, David A. Reed, Miss Minnie Sellers, Mrs. Persifor F. Smith, Charles L. Taylor, the Rev. John R. Wightman.

The ticket includes six members of the Episcopalian denomination. Mrs. Rafferty is a resident of Chicago, and it is contended by some of the members of the association that she is not eligible to serve on the board. The Rev. Dr. McIlvaine, rector of Calvary Protestant Episcopal church and one of the new candidates, last night made a vigorous reply to the assertions of those who object to the ticket. He said:

"To say that the Episcopalians are striving to gain a majority on the board while other demoninations are being kept out, is malicious. Among the Episcopalian members the most friendly feeling always has been shown toward the other contributors to the association. At the same time it must be remembered that it was the Rev. Dr. George Hodges, himself an Episcopalian and rector of Calvary and the Church of the Ascension, donated the building, which now houses the association.

"The Episcopalians of Pittsburgh have taken a most active part in the support of the institution and it is only natural that they would have a good representation on the board of directors. However, six members does not give them the majority and the number doubtless is in no great proportion to the interest that has been taken by the Episcopalian denomination."

The meeting will be held at the Kingsley house at Bedford avenue and Fulton street at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The institution was founded about nine years ago, and is one of the most thriving of local charities. It has an investment of $5,000 in bonds and the real estate is valued at $25,000.

It was stated yesterday by a member of the association that there will be another ticket in the field that will contain the names of prominent Catholics and Hebrews.

Grand farewell tonight at the New Exposition to that matchless artist pair, Sousa and Liebling. Come early to get a seat.

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Preparations Complete for Opening of Campaign in Old City Hall.

DEMOCRATS NOMINATE MAN FOR SENATE.

County Commissioner Clark Stands His Ground on Copying of Registry Lists—Preparing for Visit of State Candidates.

On next Saturday night the campaign will open for the Citizens party with a big mass meeting in Old City hall. Among the speakers will be George Shiras III., H. Kirk Porter and James W. Brown, candidates for congress in three Allegheny county districts; W. J. Brennen and William B. Rodgers. The double quartet of Welsh singers from the striking miners in the anthracite coal region, which has been engaged by the Citizens party for the entire campaign, will sing. They are striking miners.

A joint meeting of the committees on meetings and speakers was held yesterday afternoon, were Charles S. Crawford presiding and L. S. Levin as secretary. It was arranged to have mass meetings all over the county. More than 100 speakers have proffered their services. The committee will meet again tomorrow at 3 p. m.

The Democratic conferees from the Fortieth senatorial district met at the Monongahela house yesterday afternoon and nominated for senator, Benjamin N. Freeland, clerk of courts of Greene county. The conferees held a meeting on last Wednesday at Masontown when four ballots were taken, the conferees from each county voting for their respective candidates, former Senator A. D. Boyd of Fayette and Freeland of Greene. At yesterday's meeting Senator Boyd reminded his conferees that, according to an old agreement, the nomination ought to be alternated and that, by that custom, Mr. Freeland should get the nomination. In consequence, only one ballot was taken.

Mr. Clark Stood Pat.

When County Commissioner J. Carson Mercer arrived at the commissioners' office yesterday he said to Commissioner James A. Clark: "I heard you copied a lot of registry books, Mr. Clark. Is that true?"

"It is true," said Mr. Clark.

"Were they the registry books of Pittsburgh?" asked Mr. Mercer.

"No, they were the registry books of the townships and boroughs," replied Clark.

"Don't you know that the commissioners have a rule that no books can be copied until we have had a transcription made?"

"I know it," said Clark. "But what of it? The copies have been made."

Mr. Mercer said no more to Mr. Clark, but in discussing the episode later in the day, he remarked:

"We are having the registry books examined to see whether the men introduced into the commissioner's office on Saturday night have added any names to the registry lists. It would be possible to add numerous names to the lists for on the assessors' books there is a blank space after every street and in that blank space names not entitled to registry could be inserted. Mr. Clark assured me, however, that no ink was used in the office on Saturday night, and that he is positive that no names were added, as the men who copied the lists used nothing but lead pencil. In case we doubt any names on the books, we will call in the ward assessors, who will be able to tell whether any names have been added."

Busy With Preparations.

County Chairman A. C. Robertson was busy yesterday making preparations for the visit of the Republican state candidates to Pittsburgh on Friday night, when they will address a mass meeting at Old City hall. The candidates will attend the meeting of Republican clubs on Wednesday and Thursday in Erie, and on Friday they will come to Pittsburgh. Mr. Robertson has appointed the delegates from Allegheny county clubs to the Erie convention as a committee to escort Judge Pennypacker and the other candidates from Erie to Pittsburgh. The candidates will be escorted to the Duquesne club, where an informal reception will be held.

The machine campaign committee met yesterday afternoon at the headquarters in Sixth avenue and organized with the election of J. O. Brown, chairman, of the city committee, and S. S. Klingensmith, secretary of the machine county committee, as chairman and secretary respectively.

D. J. McCarthy, Democratic jury commissioner, denies categorically several charges made against him. It was said that McCarthy has tried to get an opponent in the field against Samuel G. Bailey, the Citizens' candidate for legislature from the Eighth legislative district. It was also said that Bailey had been indorsed by the Democrats. "Bailey was not indorsed by the Democrats," said Mr. McCarthy. "Nevertheless, I am not, as charged, in favor of the election of Harry M. Scott, the machine candidate for general assembly. I have not asked anyone to get on the ballot against Scott by nomination papers."

Rally in Allegheny.

The headquarters of the Citizens party in the Fifth ward, Allegheny, will be opened this evening, at No. 1418 Western avenue. There will be a rally of district workers, citizens generally and many candidates on the fusion county ticket.

E. A. Van Valkenberg, John Wanamaker's right-hand man, was in the city on Sunday conferring with Senator William Flinn. It is said that Van Valkenberg and Flinn discussed schemes to foster opposition to the Republican state ticket, and that Flinn is one of several men who have agreed to raise $200,000 for the machine ticket in Allegheny county. The money is not to be used for the benefit of the Republican state candidates. J. F. Grimes of Knoxville, the founder of the "ballot reform" party, is expected home every day. He is understood to have been peddling the name of his organization in other counties, for the purpose of aiding in the defeat of the Republican state candidates. It is the intention to head the ballot reform or "Muddy Water" party, as it is called, with the names of the Democratic state candidates, and to follow these with the names of the machine county candidates.

A Ticklish Situation.

The committee appointed by the convention of the Sixth legislative convention to nominate Democratic candidates met yesterday afternoon and adjourned without arriving at a decision. The committee will meet again at 2 p. m. today in the office of Attorney F. P. Iams, where it met yesterday.

The committee is in a quandary. One of its members is in favor of nominating a Democrat and refuses to indorse one of the Citizens party's candidates, U. M. Beck, being willing to indorse the other candidate of the same party, R. H. Heath; the other two members of the committee would like to have a Democrat on the ticket, but do not wish to go to extremes at this late day and complicate the situation by insisting on a Democrat, now that actual campaign work has begun. If they indorse both Citizens party candidates, they will displease Casper Meyer, the chairman of the convention who appointed them, and others; if they do not indorse both candidates, they will offend many Democrats of their own district and the Democratic leaders, with whom the fusion ticket was agreed upon. The committee is composed of Dr. John Purman, chairman; F. P. Iams and M. C. O'Donovan.

ALLEGHENY RESTAURANT KEEPER WILL SERVE CHINESE DAINTIES.

A bitter fight has been launched in Allegheny between the keepers of American restaurants and their Chinese brethren, who serve "chop suey," "yok-a-man" and other similar Oriental delicacies. Heretofore the Chinese have had no competition in this line in either of the two cities and the new departure is being watched with considerable interest by restaurant keepers in this city.

The hold that Chinese delicacies has taken on the modern American appetites is remarkable in some respects. It became so great in Allegheny that there was really a serious falling off in the receipts of many of the restaurants, notwithstanding the fact that the Chinese resorts were not conducted in a manner that was calculated to attract the highest class of trade.

William Partridge, the proprietor of the Cottage restaurant on Federal street, is the first of the Allegheny restaurateurs to yield to the apparently inevitable and serve Chinese delicacies in his place. In order to do this it was necessary for him to send to New York and secure a Chinese chef who stood well up in his profession.

To add to the attractiveness of his competition with the numerous Chinese restaurants he has established a separate room and it is fitted up in luxuriant oriental fashion, with rugs and hangings that seem to add additional spice to tempting tid-bits on a Chinese menu.

Several other Allegheny restaurant keepers are planning to establish a similar service in their cafes and it promises to become a regular branch of the business in that city.

There has been talk of a similar establishment here and several restaurant managers have gone so far as to attempt to secure a chef from the local Chinese colony. They could not do so, and as only the Chinese can prepare the mysterious dishes that have become so popular recently the restaurant men gave it up for the time being.

It is understood that a first-class place is to be established on Fifth avenue or Wood street in the near future and that it will make a specialty of Chinese dishes.

"Chop suey," "yok-a-man," "foo-yun-dan" and other dainties usually seen on the menu of a Chinese restaurant have become immensely popular here, and as a result the restaurants operated by local Celestials have fairly coined money.

At several of these establishments the receipts run as high as $2,500 a week, with only four or five waiters and two cooks, and the business could be greatly extended if it were attempted. The Chinese restaurants in Pittsburgh have been so busy with their own peculiar class of custom that they have made no attempt to cater to trade of a higher class.

The restaurant men of the city all say that there is a fortune in store for the man who first opens a Chinese restaurant in the proper locality and then caters to the highest class of trade.

APPOINTMENTS GIVEN OUT FOR MINISTERS

German Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church Closed Its Sessions Yesterday.

The fifty-ninth annual meeting of the German conference of the Methodist Episcopal church closed yesterday. The last day's session was called to order by Bishop J. W. Fitzgerald and the devotional exercises were led by the Rev. Philip Graessle of Springfield, O. The extension board reported its assignments for church extensions. The conference stewards reported that they had received $4,022 07 for superannuated ministers, which sum was ordered divided as arranged by the conference.

Bishop Fitzgerald then announced the ministerial assignments for the year. These assignments are as follows:

Cincinnati district—John H. Horst, P. E.; Batesville, Ind., Andrew Graessle; Chilicothe, William Ander; Cincinnati, Race street; Albert Cramer; Everett street, George Kaletsch; Third church, O. Rogatzky; Mt. Auburn, B. F. Beal; Spring Grove, C. G. Herzer (supply); Walnut Hills, C. B. Koch; Covington, Cov. and Schlomplening; Dayton, O., E. G. Boch; Greenville and Piqua, W. F. Grieve; Hamilton, O., H. E. Wulzen; Indianapolis, Ind., First church, F. A. Hamp; Upper Mechanical, H. Beyer; Second church and New Palestine, A. S. Ploch; Third church, Otto Giesen; Ironton and Zion, J. C. Guenther and T. Nagler; Lafayette, Ind., Charles Baumann; Lawrenceburg, Ind., Max Dieterle; Lawrenceville, Ind., Louis Miller; Booneville, Ind., A. J. Weigele; Central Barren, Ernest Holzappel; Canneiton and Tell City, Elmer Roessner; Evansville, Ind., First church, C. Treuchel; Evansville, Ind., Second church, F. Johannes; Huntington, Ind., W. J. G. Bockstahler; Jeffersonville, Ind., H. A. Sevringhaus; Louisville, Ky., Breckenridge street, George Wahl; Eighteenth and Otisco, John Hoerter; Jefferson street, John Claus; Market street, J. E. Miller; Mars, Ind., Jacob Allinger; Mt. Vernon, Ind., C. E. Helwig; Nashville, Tenn., C. G. Fritsche; New Albany, Ind., C. H. Miller; Salem, Ind., William Bogatzky; Santa Claus, Ind., J. E. Braun; Seymour, Ind., C. E. Sevringhaus; White Creek, Ind., E. P. Schneider; H. B. Roller, conference evangelist; J. P. Sevringhaus, superintendent of Deaconness hospital at Louisville, Ky.

Michigan district—J. Kern, P. E.; Ann Arbor, Mich., Adam Becker; Auburn and Garrett, F. W. Magdanz; Bay City, Mich., John Kuster; Bellaire, O., D. E. Dobbrick; Detroit, Fifth, First church, John Geigen; Second church, John Mayer; Third church, P. Wuesfel; Dewitt, O. E. Dangel; Edon, O., T. A. Speckmann; Elmore, O., George Miller; Francisco, Mich., L. S. Kaetterhenry; Goshen, Ind., H. W. Lenz; Grand Rapids, Mich., J. J. Bockstahler; Holt, Mich., F. A. Schumann; Hopkins, H. Bank; Kendallville, Ind., William Jauch; Lansing, Mich., C. F. Kuehle; Marine City, Mich., J. A. Beck; Monitaqle and Muskegon, J. R. Bodmer and Fred Schaentzlin; Pigeon, Christ Spaeth; Roseville, Jacob Braun; Saginaw and Keelville, J. Link and T. Nagler; Lowell, W. F. Rueschelm; Toledo, East Side and Perrysburg, Carl Koch; Galena street, C. Boecklin; Segur avenue, J. S. Schneider; Walnut street, J. G. Schaal.

North Ohio district—H. Pullman, presiding elder; Akron, O., J. Bockstahler; Allegheny, D. Matthei; Barnesville, O., E. W. Bockstahler; Berea, G. Weiler; Bonn and Monroefield, Joseph Lamy; Bucyrus, O., J. C. Gerlach; Canal Dover and Chili, D. Harrer; Clarington, H. Gieser; Cleveland, O., Bethany, J. H. Holtkamp; Emmanuel and Zion, William Weiler; First church, L. Allinger; St. Paul, H. Rogatzky; Columbus, O., First church, R. Flueddemann; Second church, H. Schaedel; Delaware, O., to be supplied; Galion, O., J. Gommel; Marietta, O., H. Herzer; Marion, O., H. Jend; Marion circuit, F. Mersfelder; New Rroville, C. E. Buerkle; Pittsburgh, First church and McKeesport, F. W. Mueller and L. Buehl; Second church, J. P. Bauman; Park avenue, A. F. Zarvell; Sandusky and La Carne, Theodore Rudis; Spencerville, O., W. E. Nocka; Vermillion, O., A. C. Baur; Wheeling, W. Va., J. J. Baechtold; Carl Riemenschneider, J. O. Berr, Theodore Rodemeyer, C. C. Matting, treasurer and financial agent of German Wallace college; J. C. Weidmann, superintendent of German Methodist Orphans' home; H. Metzger, assistant superintendent; C. F. Kupfer, missionary in China.

The Revs. O. Rogatzky, J. J. Link, W. J. G. Bockstahler were elected conference stewards to fill vacancies. The conference requested the appointment of H. B. Roller as conference evangelist and of H. Gerentzenberg as editor of the Guide to Holiness.

Thank offerings to the amount of $112,899 26 were reported by the treasurer of that fund. This is $12,899 26 over the amount asked for three years ago. The Rev. J. J. Link was appointed to preach the conference sermon at the next session and G. E. Hiller is his alternate. The Rev. Max Dieterle is to preach the missionary sermon at the next session; J. J. Baechtold, alternate. The following were elected trustees of German Wallace college at Berea, O.: G. Hiller, J. Kerr and H. Herzer.

Gates Is Beaten Again

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 15.—Judge Thayer of the circuit court today granted the petition of the stockholders representing Arthur E. Stillwell to discharge the receivers of the Guardian Trust Company, appointed over a year ago at the instigation of John W. Gates and his following. The Gates contingent opposed the move on the theory that Stillwell desired to merge the Guardian Trust Company into the Mexican Trust Company.

Henacry Causes Fratricide.

CAMDEN, N. J., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—William Brandt was shot and killed by his brother Peter, at the latter's home near Newfield. Peter surrendered. The brothers were partners in the poultry business and William demanded a settlement. A dispute arose and William went to the chicken yard with the avowed intention of destroying the poultry-house. Peter shot him while he was in the act of carrying out his purpose.

TWO COUNTIES GIVE INDUCEMENT FOR THE WABASH

Waynesburg and Washington Preparing Way for New Line.

JOINT COMMITTEES HOLD A MEETING.

Reports Are Made That Nearly All the Right of Way Has Been Secured for the Proposed Road. Nearer to Pittsburgh.

By WILLIAM D. ROSS,
Staff Correspondent.

Washington, Pa., Sept. 15.—Just 97½ per cent of the tonnage of Greene county has been placed under ironbound contracts with the Wabash railroad. Through Greene county every bit of right of way, both in the country and in Waynesburg, has been obtained. Citizens of that county will give a $100,000 bond to guarantee the railroad against damages, and in Washington county out of 38 land owners all but two or three have granted the rights of way from Washington to the Greene county line, according to reports made today at a meeting of members of the Greene and Washington county committees, which are furthering the Wabash project.

The meeting was held at the office of the Citizens Water Company in Main street, Washington, and was presided over by Congressman Ernest F. Acheson, who is president of the Washington board of trade and chairman of the Wabash committee from this county. It was known that great enthusiasm had been stirred in the two counties over the prospect of the Gould lines entering. This was especially true of Greene county, whose only line is the old narrow gauge road from Washington to Waynesburg. The reports of progress, however, surpassed the expectations of the most optimistic.

Right of Way Assured.

This is the way one member of the Greene county committee today expressed the feeling in Greene county: "There are about three people, I think, who would sue for damages along the route in our county, but we will take care of all that ourselves without the railroad company needing to bother. I doubt that any of these could secure an attorney to plead his case in our court, and I am confident that he could not find 12 jurymen who would allow any extortion. For anyone to try a scheme of this kind is for him to get himself disliked by the people of the county, who will not be slow to express that dislike, either. One old farmer who owns several hundred acres of coal land which the coming of the Wabash will develop said as he signed the freight contract: 'There is only one thing wrong with this contract. It should be made for 100 years instead of 10.'"

The members of the committees present today included the following: Congressman Ernest F. Acheson, Dr. J. W. McKay, editor of the Waynesburg Times and active manager of the Waynesburg Business association, formed about a year ago; Attorney John H. Murdock, Charles S. Ritchie, cashier of the First National bank; A. B. Paxton of the Hazel Glass Company, John M. Dunn, county commissioner, and John Slater, cigar manufacturer and real estate promoter. All but Dr. McKay are from Washington. Col. William P. Tyler, the manufacturer of Washington, is in the east on business, and hence could not attend the meeting.

Waynesburg Working for Road.

"It has been over a year since Waynesburg first began to work for this Wabash line," said Dr. McKay yesterday. "We certainly give the Wabash plenty of assurance of a free right of way. There are between 75 and 100 property owners on the proposed line from the Washington county border to the Monongahela river, by way of Waynesburg, and all have been seen on the subject. It is not yet settled whether the Wabash will come our way, but we shall do all in our power to bring it there."

The proposed extension of the Wabash to Washington from Pittsburgh will leave the main line of the Pittsburgh, Carnegie & Western at Bishop, 15 miles from Pittsburgh, and then run either by way of Canonsburg or by McConnells Mills to Washington. Canonsburg is putting forth every effort to have the line come its way, although the shorter route is via McConnells Mills. The route from Washington west leaves the line into Washington two miles below the town and runs up through Georges Run through Canton, Chartiers and Mt. Pleasant townships to a point on the Pittsburgh, Carnegie & Western, one and a half miles west of Hickory. The purpose of this line is to give a 10 miles shorter route for the big westbound coal and coke tonnage for the lakes, northwest and southwest. It probably means also that the Wheeling project is not being considered longer by the Wabash, for this is the shorter route and it does not have the insuperable difficulty in forcing the use of a bridge owned by the Wabash enemy, the Pennsylvania, as is the case with the Wheeling bridge.

Shorter Line From Pittsburgh.

The route from Washington south is along Chartiers creek through North Franklin, South Franklin and Morris townships in Washington county, entering Greene county one mile west of the point at which the Washington & Waynesburg enters. If the Waynesburg route is adopted the new road will strike the narrow gauge at Deer Lick and parallel it to the county seat of Greene. From Waynesburg the road will run through Franklin and Jefferson townships to Rices Landing on the Monongahela. It is 14 miles from that point to Uniontown.

The distances of the Wabash from Pittsburgh to the towns reached by this extension compare with the other lines as follows: To Washington (3d in street), Wabash, 26 miles; Pennsylvania, 32; Baltimore & Ohio, 35, Waynesburg, Wabash, 48; Pennsylvania, 60; Uniontown, Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio, 70; Wabash, 76.

A still more important consideration is the character of the proposed Wabash line. There will be no grade over 1 per cent and no curve sharper than 5 per cent. The grades and curves on the Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio are at least three times this great. Not a grade crossing will be allowed, all country roads even being made to pass either overhead or underneath. A 35 or 40-minute passenger service between Pittsburgh and Washington will be easy with such a line.

Waynesburg is looking for great industrial growth from the arrival of this standard gauge line to compete with the Pennsylvania, even if the Pennsylvania does make the old Waynesburg & Washington a standard gauge and rebuild the line according to surveys which have been made recently. The present freight rates from Washington, Pa., to Waynesburg in an adjoining county are today as great as Washington, Pa., to Greene county is the great producer of natural gas, and a rate of 5 cents a thousand can be made on seven-year contracts to manufacturers. With a standard gauge line and such cheap fuel it is seen by all that industry will develop wonderfully.

Land Value Increased.

It is in the development of coal lands, however, that the great value of the arrival of the Wabash is already felt. It has added $100 an acre value to all coal land within two miles of the Cross Creek line. That means $250,000 a mile.

One important effect of this line is likely to be that on Baltimore & Ohio, according to the belief of people in this section. The old line projected to run from Connellsville to Washington, Pa., for a short coal and coke route to the west is to be completed. Fully 50 per cent of the construction of this was completed and the line is today in that condition, except for eight miles out of Connellsville, where it is used to reach coke ovens. In 1882 $1,500,000 was spent on this, then all was abandoned. The route intersects the main line half a mile east of Connellsville, crosses the Monongahela at Coal Center and runs by Bentleyville to Vance, three miles east of Washington, where it joins the Wheeling branch, the line through Washington. Of the 40 miles it is built and in use, leaving but 20 to complete. The heaviest part of the grading and tunnel work, the masonry and other parts of the construction still lie where they were left uncompleted 20 years ago. The construction of this line alone will make the Baltimore & Ohio, and thereby the Pennsylvania, a rival of the Wabash in the Westbound coal and coke output for the Ohio valley towns, for at present all this has to go west via Pittsburgh.

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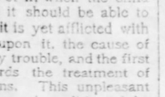
Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper.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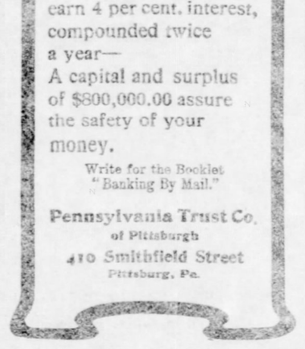

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New Blankets and New Comforts.

Thirty thousand dollars' worth of Blankets, shrewdly bought. We can say that, because we know it to be so. And they are to be sold free-handed. Thus in the combination you profit.

You don't really need to know anything about Blankets in buying of us. We'll tell you all about them, give you the exact size in inches, exact weight in pounds, and whether the blankets are all wool or part cotton.

An Opportunity is rarely given the individual consumer to buy Blankets and Comforts at Wholesale prices, or less. But that opportunity is present now in this Basement Bedding Store and will last until we have to replenish the stock.

At $2.50 for the pair, strictly all wool Country Blankets, size 66x81 inches, weight 4 pounds. Plain gray and scarlet with black borders, or black and white and red and black plaids.

At $3 for the pair, Blankets with an all wool filling on fine spool cotton warp. Single bed size, 60x84 inches, weight 4 pounds. White only with pink, red and blue borders. Same Blanket for double beds, 72x84 inches, weight 5 pounds, $4 a pair.

At $4 the pair, Blankets that are strictly all wool, for single beds. Weight 4 pounds. Come in white, gray and scarlet and fancy plaids.

At $5 the pair, the same Blankets in three-quarter bed size—72x84 inches. Weight 5 pounds.

At $6 the pair, the same Blankets for double beds—76x90 inches. Weight 6 pounds.

For the fine to finest Blankets our prices, by the pair, are $7, $8, $9, $10, $12.50, $15, $17.50 and $20.

Italian Silk Blankets for couch covers and den draperies, beautiful cross stripes in the bright Roman colors and fancy Jacquard weaves, $1.25, $2, $2.50, $3.50, $4, $5 and $6 each.

Fancy Imported German Blankets for couch covers and bath robes, $2.25, $3 and $3.50 each.

Cotton filled Comforts, $1.25 to $4.50 each.
Wool filled Comforts, $3.50 to $40 each.
Down filled Comforts, $5 to $50 each.

The New Flannels for Autumn.

Superior assortments and quaintly small prices conspire to rapidly move our flannels. Oh, yes, cool weather is the all important factor, but if our prices were not less and our grades above question, you wouldn't come here for your flannels as you are doing.

One of the most popular of flannel weaves are the Flannel Waist Cloths. All the immensely popular colorings, including the new Roman stripes. 45c, 50c, 60c, 75c, 85c and $1 a yard.

Fancy Printed French Flannels for shirtwaists and kimonas, 50c, 60c and 75c a yard.

Scotch Flannels, those fine flannels that won't shrink, therefore the best for shirtwaists, skirts and pajamas, 25c, 35c and 50c a yard.

Eiderdown Flannels for the making of exquisite opera cloaks. You wouldn't think you could buy them so cheap, if you were told off-hand. 50c, 75c and 90c a yard. Also nice for dainty dressing sacques and kimonas and for fine bath wrappers.

Viyella Flannel the greatest flannel ever invented. We say invented, and that's right. It won't shrink, because it can't shrink. That's an invention. It is chemically prepared so that water won't feaze it. Over 100 styles in stripes, checks and fancy jacquard weaves. The best flannel ever was for either day or night wear. We are the exclusive handlers of Viyella Flannel for the two cities. It sells for $1 a yard.

Skirting and shirting Flannels, strictly all wool and thoroughly shrunk. 35c, 40c and 50c a yard.

Silk Embroidered Flannel Waist Patterns, from $1.50 to $6 for a full pattern. If you have not seen these beautiful goods you owe it to yourself to look over the immense line—for it is immense.

Regarding Silk Embroidered Skirting Flannels, don't think you will come across another collection like ours, for as far as we have gone have found only about half the variety. Then every condition of purse has been considered. There are Silk Embroidered Skirting Flannels at 50c a yard, very, very pretty, and from that easily along to $5 a yard for the finest.

Announcement is made of 2,500 yards of new Flannelettes for shirtwaists, kimonas and house dresses. The best material in the world for the all 'round house wear. 10c, 12½c and 15c a yard.

Another grade of Flannelettes for night gowns, pajamas and ladies' and children's underwear, 6¼c, 8c and 10c a yard.

The $1.50 Lupin Crepes at 75c a Yard.

A thousand yards of this splendid fabric for functional and general household wear came in Saturday evening, the remainder was due by freight yesterday morning.

Alas! and alack! dependence on poky freights is the bane of our life. The Crepes didn't come because the freight didn't come—when it should. It came late in the afternoon, and of course there will be plenty of crepes this morning.

Because you recognized the offer as something extraordinary you came for the Lupin Crepes in great numbers. We took orders for the delivery from the lot coming by freight, and they will be filled this morning.

In the meantime the 2,000 yards that arrived late yesterday will not last long, seeing that the demand for the crepes is extraordinary.

Sush exquisite colors as sky blue, baby blue, pink, Nile green, canary, heliotrope, lilac, silver gray, pearl gray, rose pink, old rose, reseda, tea green, castor, cardinal, delft blue and chocolate brown.

Our Infants' Department

is quite ready to fit out infants and young children for the Autumn and Winter months.

All the new and pretty things that have been designed in Paris, and a great lot of the dainty and practical creations of this country.

You can buy pretty Dresses, either short or long, for 50c, and there is an amazing lot of in-between prices up to $50. Of course, you cannot purchase a hand-made dress for 50c, but you can get a mighty good counterfeit.

And there are Petticoats to match the Dresses in the greatest range of prices, beginning with the inexpensive petticoat and running along until something exquisitely fine is reached.

Then there are the new Coats for the little people—long coats and short coats. $2.25 up and along to $40.

As for the Autumn Caps and Bonnets their name comes pretty near being legion. Everything a pretty baby should wear, and about any price you have in mind to pay.

A good many youngsters had new outfits bought for them yesterday. It has been some time since we had such a busy day in this cosy second floor department.

Black Crinkled Novelties, 85c Yd.

A special Black Dress Goods item worthy of early attention. Here's the story:

An importer over-estimated his output, and was left with a thousand yards of these Crinkled Novelties. We knew them to be all right, for they came from Bradford, England, from whence we get lots of our black goods direct. He was willing to sell at a sacrifice, and we were willing to buy—at a sacrifice. And that is how you come to buy them for nearly half original retail price—85c a yard.

We have sold the same goods for $1.50 a yard—thousands of yards. And we have always heard women say that for general good wear they cannot be excelled.

Women's New Golf Vests.

You will find the Golf Vests on the second floor, where they should have been long ago—along with the waists.

Have a new line of sleeveless Vests in solid green, solid red and solid white, made of the very best knitted materials.

The knit feature, being elastic, insures a snug fit.

Prices, $2.50, $4, $6 and on to $12.

Around $6 and $7 there is quite a number of pretty plaid Vests.

PENN AND FIFTH.

Pittsburgh's Famous Actress

A Lovely Picture of a Lovely Woman In

Next Sunday's Gazette.

MINE SECRETARY NOT CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS

William B. Wilson's Campaign Has an Abrupt Ending in Blossburg.

LABOR LEADER BROUGHT OUT TOO LATE.

His Family Prefers Country Home to Life in the City—An Operator in a Small Way—Not Affected by Office.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Blossburg, Pa., Sept. 15.—William B. Wilson, secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers of America, has, after a visit to his home in this place, returned to Indianapolis, where he expects to find plenty of work in connection with the anthracite miners' strike.

Mr. Wilson expressed the belief before leaving here that the whole thing was over except the fireworks. But if he had any positive assurance that the end of the strike was so near, he refused to give his authority for it.

The inside facts of Mr. Wilson's position as the nominee of nominating a candidate for congress in the Fifteenth Pennsylvania district have just leaked out. It is learned positively that when the Hon. Thomas Mansel of Williamsport, the Prohibition candidate for congress, was indorsed by the Democratic conference last week, it was not with the idea of turning down the labor leader, but was the unavoidable outcome of a series of unforward circumstances. A leading Democratic committeeman made a tour of the

W. B. WILSON,
Secretary-Treasurer of the United Mine Workers of America.

district three weeks ago, visiting all three of the counties for the purpose of ascertaining where an available candidate could be found to oppose Deemer. The experience of this man was that after going over the district the second time, with a fine-tooth comb," as he expressed it, he could find no man upon whom the indorsers would agree. Therefore he returned and as the conference was only a few days off and something had to be done, arrangements were made to indorse the Prohibition nominee.

Wilson a Receptive Candidate.

With the meantime friends of Mr. Wilson, who had just come to Blossburg to pay a short visit to his family, conceived the idea of running him for congress. It is said that the leaders of the mine workers favored the project with the understanding that Mr. Wilson, if elected, would be in a position to introduce legislation to curb the tendency of the federal courts to introduce "government by injunction." Henry Cochran of Williamsport was telegraphed to and told that Mr. Wilson would take the nomination if given to him without a contest. But Mr. Cochran was in the Maine woods and did not receive the telegram. When Mr. Wilson's position became known the conference was only a day or two off and a Williamsport Democrat was sent here to tell Mr. Wilson that it was too late to arrange things for his nomination, as the conferees had already agreed on Mr. Mansel. Mr. Wilson acquiesced in the situation, and when his name was presented in the conference it was only a matter of form. His friends did not regard his failure to get the nomination as an affront to organized labor.

The Wilson homestead, about midway between Blossburg and Arnot, where the secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers spent his vacation, is a veritable poet's dream. Situated about 200 yards from the main road, surrounded by a healthy orchard and with the rugged hillside for a background, the little frame house presents a picture of peace and contentment. Here it is that Mr. Wilson's wife and seven children live.

Family Preferred Country.

He took the family with him to Indianapolis two years ago, but last spring they returned. Mrs. Wilson, a sprightly woman, who has spent her whole life in this country, said that the old hills and farm yard kept calling to her and the glamor of the city had no attraction for her, so last spring she and the children came back.

Here it is that Mr. Wilson comes whenever he can steal a few days from the cares of his office. He is just plain Willie Wilson when he comes back here, and the people do not gaze at him in wonder because of his high position and because he handles $1,000,000 every month.

Mr. Wilson is entirely a self-made man. Fifteen years ago he was a miner at Arnot with meager education, but high ideals. He organized what is known as "Congress corner," a street corner in Arnot, where the miners would congregate evenings after work and hold heated arguments on all sorts of subjects. The subjects would be announced beforehand and would be studied by the opposing sides. Here William B. Wilson gained the practice in oratory and debate that raised him successively to checkweighman, local president of the United Mine Workers of America, organizer, district president and finally to his present position. With President Mitchell he has much to do with shaping the course of 350,000 union men.

It is not generally known that Mr. Wilson has been an operator on a small scale. A few years ago, when, on account of his unremitting work for the union miners it was impossible for him to secure work in any of the soft coal mines, he solved the problem of sustenance by opening a mine on his own premises and selling the product, which he dug and loaded himself. During the last strike in Tioga county, when Mr. Wilson won a memorable victory for the union, the chute outside the mine was burned by some miscreants and has never been rebuilt.

WORKINGMEN SEEK REFORM

WOULD SECURE REDRESS THROUGH BALLOT.

Semi-Political Organization Is Being Formed in Chicago. Deals With Trusts.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—A movement for enlisting the hosts of workingmen throughout the United States into a semi-political organization has been launched in this city, says a local paper. A platform said to embrace the economical and political ideas of labor leaders and covering the whole labor situation has been prepared and will be presented for approval next week before the Chicago Federation of Labor.

The platform demands the abolition of the so-called political machine, the establishment of government primaries where votes may be cast "for nominees as citizens, and not as members of a machine," and the initiative and referendum. It favors the right of recalling representatives who are out of touch with voters.

Relief from the trusts is suggested in the plan for "the passage of an amendment to the practice laws of every state and the federal government under which litigants may bring up, in any suit in which a corporation is the plaintiff or defendant, the question of its right to its franchise, whether it has usurped power not given it under statute and whether it has forfeited its power." This method, it is urged, would be productive of more good than the institution of suits by federal district attorneys.

Vigilance committees in every state and large city are favored to see that the laws are impartially administered. The eight-hour day, sanitary conditions, living wages, the repeal of the laws limiting the liability in personal injury suits, the supplying of free text books to all children in the lower grades of public schools and the abolition of convict labor in competition with free men are demanded. Limitation on the injunction powers of judges is asked and the popular election of federal judges and senators is suggested. In all civil trials majority verdicts are desired.

The plan favors the government instead of banks issuing all kinds of money, and it is suggested that private individuals be driven from banking business. Laws are demanded restricting the issue of capital stock, bonds and securities to any greater extent than the actual property owned by corporations. Public ownership of public utilities is desired and state insurance and provisions for old age are approved. Child labor is decried and educational aids and trade unionism to keep up wages are approved.

PRESIDENT'S COMING JOURNEY IMPORTANT

He Will Talk to the People of the Northwest of His Reciprocity and Anti-Trust Policies.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 15.—President Roosevelt's western trip is now being arranged by Secretary Cortelyou, who returned to the temporary white house today for this purpose. The trip will begin Friday, September 19, and will occupy the president for about three weeks. He is expected to be in Washington again on the 7th of October, to address the encampment of the Grand Army. Secretary Shaw will be the only member of the president's cabinet to go with him on his tour of the northwest, and it is expected Mr. Shaw will make a number of speeches.

From a political standpoint the trip is regarded here as very important, both as to the congressional campaign and also as affecting the presidential situation of 1904. Not only is it expected that President Roosevelt will reiterate his anti-trust declarations, but those who know his feelings regarding Cuban reciprocity say he will be heard from in no uncertain manner in this question when he addresses Michigan audiences, and the people of sugar beet states. The tariff question is also said to be slated for treatment by the president in this trip.

It is understood the president will lend his aid in an effort to amalgamate the two national organizations of Spanish war veterans. These rival organizations held their annual conventions on the same day, one in Detroit and one in Indianapolis. The president consented to address both meetings, and will make a flying trip between these two cities for this purpose.

ROOSEVELT ASKED TO DENY A RUMOR

Wisconsin Methodists Want to Know if President Would Like to See Ireland in Red Hat.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 15.—President Roosevelt was called upon by the Wisconsin Methodist conference today to refute the report that he has asked the vatican at Rome to create Archbishop Ireland a cardinal. By unanimous vote the conference decided to send the following letter on the subject to the president:

His Excellency, President Roosevelt,
Oyster Bay, L. I.

Honored Sir—We see with pain in the press dispatches "A rumor that the vatican has received from President Roosevelt an intimation that he would be personally pleased to see Archbishop Ireland is created a cardinal as a reward for the services he has rendered the church and the state." We strongly doubt the correctness of this rumor, for it does not seem possible that the president of the United States could thus violate the spirit of the constitution of the United States, which requires the complete separation of the church and the state, and we hope to see it authoritively denied.

By request of the Wisconsin annual conference of the Methodist church.

D. A. GOODSELL,
Bishop and President.

In addition to this resolution the conference formally took cognizance of the coal strike, calling upon congress to enact such laws as will authorize the seizing of coal mines and railroads in order to prevent such strikes in the future.

Boy's Blow Caused Death.

The death of Michael Rakeha, eight years old, which occurred on Saturday night, will be investigated by the coroner today. It is said the boy died from a fracture to his skull which he received by being struck on the head with a broomstick while playing with a companion on September 6. The boy who is alleged to have struck the blow has not been arrested because of his age.

Mexico's Two New Gunboats.

ELIZABETHPORT, N. J., Sept. 15.—The Mexican gunboats, the Tampico and Vera Cruz, were successfully launched at the Crescent shipyards today. The Tampico was christened by Mrs. Lewis Nixon and the Vera Cruz by Senorita Mercedes Godey, a daughter of Senor Godey of the Mexican legation.

Papal Delegate Named.

ROME, Sept. 15.—The vatican has definitely decided to send the Most Rev. Diomede Falconio to Washington as papal delegate to the United States. Mgr. Falconio is apostolic delegate for the Dominion of Canada.

CAMPBELL'S.

These Cool Days Make Gloves a Necessity.

No excuse for going without them when they can be bought so moderately. The new fall fashions are now here and represent the best of imported and domestic makes. Special showing of

Dollar Gloves

in German Lamb Kid—all desirable shades, pretty stitching, the best value made for the money.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE.
527-535 Fifth Avenue.

CHARRED BONES OF HORSES SHOW CAMPERS' FATE

News of Loss of Life in Northwest Forest Fires Is Confirmed.

MANY PERSONS REPORTED MISSING.

Portland Still Enveloped in Mantle of Smoke—Steamboats in Harbor Dare Not Stir—Conditions Better in Some Places.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 15.—A special from Kalama, where great loss of life from forest fires were reported Saturday and yesterday says:

News from the fire on Lewis river yesterday confirms the report of Saturday night and adds to the losses. The fallen timber has blocked the only road leading up the river, so that the work of rescue is slow. A party of 10 persons with a team was said to be camping in the timbers. The charred remains of the horses and the wagon were found, but no trace of the people can be discovered.

A great number of people were in the timber and around Trout Lake, fishing and hunting, but no authentic reports have been received from them, and it is feared there has been loss of life.

TACOMA, WASH., Sept. 15.—The smoke has cleared away and the sky is again visible. Forest fires have abated all directions. Reports from Marion county say the sky has cleared there, the fires have ceased and the men have gone back to work in the logging camps. The damage is less serious than had been apprehended.

ABERDEEN, WASH., Sept. 15.—The conditions in regard to the forest fires in this section have materially changed for the better. The reports of loss of life in certain instances have not been confirmed, all those having been reported as lost now being accounted for, although there were some narrow escapes and startling experiences in the Hoquiam river.

Lumbermen say that the fire was mostly in the brush, deadwood, etc., and that green timber has not been injured materially.

PORTLAND, ORE., Sept. 15.—Smoke from forest fires was thicker in Portland this morning than at any time this year. Between midnight and daylight it was impossible to see 50 feet away, and the arc lights could hardly be seen. In the harbor the steamboats did not dare stir, the smoke was so dense. In Multnomah and Clackamas the fires have practically burned out, and the settlers are returning to their homes. Along both sides of the Columbia river fires are still burning, though the worst is over. In Oregon, as far as reported, only two lives have been lost.

A special from Elma, Wash., says fully 100 families have been burned out in this vicinity. The total loss is estimated at $200,000.

WANTED REST BADLY.

J. T. Patton, a Switchman, Alleged to Have Tried to Wreck Train to Get It.

In order to secure a night's rest it is alleged J. T. Patton, a switchman employed by the Union railroad, tried to wreck a train in the yards of the Carnegie Steel Company at Homestead Saturday night. Patton was arrested and committed to jail yesterday evening by Justice G. W. McCleary of Munhall for a hearing. Griffith McWilliams, who made the information against Patton, charges him with malicious mischief.

Patton, who has been employed by the Union railroad for some time as a switchman, it is alleged, on Saturday evening grew tired of working. The trains that passed his section were numerous during the evening and he grew weary of his vigil. The section of track which was in his charge is said to be located in a part of the yard near the bank of the Monongahela river.

It is alleged that Patton calculated that by throwing his switch toward the river bank he could wreck one of the trains of freight cars which he knew had to pass over his section, and throw it into the river, thereby blocking the road for the remainder of Saturday night. He thus would be enabled to leave his place on watch and get some rest while the wrecking crew was clearing the tracks and replacing the wrecked cars.

PEARY ON WAY HOME.

Message From Explorer Says Nothing About Having North Pole in His Trunk.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Herbert L. Bridgman, secretary of the Peary Arctic club, received a dispatch today from Lieut. R. E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, dated Chateau Bay, Labrador. Lieut. Peary says in the dispatch that he is on his way home on the relief ship Windward, and that all on board are well.

Beyond the dispatch received today Mr. Bridgman has no information as to the movements of the explorer, who sailed with his expedition to the north pole on July 4, 1898. Mr. Bridgman left Lieut. Peary at Cape Sabine on August 29, 1901.

The relief ship Windward left New York in July last to find the Peary expedition, and has evidently been successful.

Capt. Dedrich was in command of the Windward. His wife, who lives at Washington, N. J., today received a dispatch from her husband giving the same information as that contained in the message sent by Peary himself to Mr. Bridgman.

MORE TROOPERS PRESENT.

Official Figures Show Ranks of Soldiers Are Not Thinning Out.

SHENANDOAH, PA., Sept. 15.—When Gen. Gobin was asked today relative to published reports that the ranks of the troops on duty are thinning out the reply was:

"The facts are that on July 31, when the troops were ordered on duty their reports showed an aggregate of 649 men in the Eighth regiment, 690 men in the Twelfth regiment and 57 men in the Governor's troop. The morning reports made yesterday show the present aggregate to be 669 in the Eighth regiment, 624 in the Twelfth regiment, and 56 in the Governor's troop. The Second City troop had an aggregate of 57 when it reported for duty, and yesterday reported 58."

Foreman Was Killed.

Richard Stevenson, foreman of Neville furnaces of the American Steel and Wire Company on Neville Island was instantly killed yesterday afternoon while engaged with a gang of workmen replacing a "bell" on one of the cupolas. Stevenson made a misstep and fell headlong 100 feet, alighting on his head and shoulders. Coming from Phillipsburg, N. J., he had been with the American Steel and Wire Company for two months and was considered a very valuable man. A wife and three small children survive him. The body will be taken to Phillipsburg for burial. He was 30 years old.

DIED.

FORSYTH—On Monday, September 15, 1902, at 8 p. m., at her home in East Pittsburgh, near old Brinton station, MARGARET, beloved wife of William Forsyth, in her 54th year.

Notice of funeral later.

Acheson Claims His Nomination Is Regular; Afro-Americans Indorse Republican Ticket

NOMINATION IS EXPLAINED

Congressman Acheson Says Cunningham's Bolt Will Not Be Tolerated.

PRECEDENT IS ESTABLISHED

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, PA., Sept. 15.—Congressman Ernest F. Acheson today gave a very plain-spoken statement on the situation as respects his nomination in Beaver county, where J. D. Cunningham claims to be the nominee.

"The reason Cunningham does not call the Beaver county committee together is that he is afraid to do so," Mr. Acheson said. "Beaver county Republicans will never sanction a bolt such as Cunningham is attempting either directly or indirectly through the Democrats.

"My nomination papers have been filed in exactly the same form as five others filed at previous nominations in the old Twenty-fourth district. The question raised by Cunningham now was decided 10 years ago, when substantially the same point came up with Greene county. It had been decided by three of the four counties to have conference representation according to votes cast, instead of equal county representation, but Greene county would not agree with the other three in the district, and at its convention bolted my nomination and made the Rev. Campbell Jobs the candidate. At that time Judge Simonton of the Dauphin county courts decided that my nomination was regular, having been made by a majority of the counties in accordance with the rules adopted. Jobs had to go on by nomination papers, and only in this way can Cunningham get on the present ticket.

"In due time Secretary Griest of the commonwealth will certify my nomination to the county commissioners of Lawrence, Beaver and Washington counties, and my name will be printed in the Republican column of the official ballot. It will then be up to Cunningham to take the case into the courts. I have no fear of the result from any action he may take."

PASTORS ARE ASSIGNED.

Ministers of the Erie Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church Receive Appointments.

OIL CITY, PA., Sept. 15.—At today's session of the Methodist Episcopal conference Bishop E. G. Andrews announced the appointment of ministers of the Erie conference as follows:

Clarion district—A. R. Rich, presiding elder; Big Run, Anthony Grove; Brockwayville, J. S. Hillis; Bell, Brockwayville; P. Graham; Clarion, H. D. Davis; Dubois, J. B. Neff; East Brady, H. S. Bates; Falls Creek, C. H. Frampton; Glass Hazel, J. D. Clemmons; Johnsonburg, J. J. Schurbo; Knox, W. H. Garnett; Mt. Bethlehem, N. Kelley; Punxsutawney, C. W. Miner; Reynoldsville, F. A. Reno; Ridgeway, J. N. Clemen; Tylersburg, F. M. Small.

Erie district—J. B. Espy, presiding elder; Erie, Cascade, A. E. Salisbury; Erie, First church, A. G. Ellis; Erie, Simpson, A. B. Phillips; Erie, Tenth Street, R. C. Smith; Erie, Wesley Memorial, N. Kelley; Fairview, H. A. Glnader; North East, W. M. Crosby; Waterford, J. E. Roberts.

Franklin district—J. N. Fradenburg, presiding elder; Bradford, Bishop Simpson and Foxburg, C. C. Rumburger; Oil City, Grace church; H. G. Dodds; Oil City, Siverly, L. L. Swisher; Oil City, Trinity, A. R. Thoburn; Pithole, E. M. Kerlich; Titusville, S. H. Prather.

Jamestown district—H. G. Hall, presiding elder; Conneautville, W. Colvin; Sans, S. Perry; Warren, First church, J. C. McDonald; Warren, Grace, E. C. Delaplain; Youngsville and Irventon, J. P. Burns.

Meadville district—E. F. Echos, presiding elder; Cambridge Springs, J. C. Gilbert; Canal Lake, Horace McKinney; Conneautville, N. B. Clare; Edenboro, F. R. Peters; Greenville, R. N. Stubbs; Jamestown, J. A. Lively; Meadville, First church, L. H. Hughes; Meadville, State Street, A. M. Lockwood; Saegertown, Milton Smith; Union City, C. O. Mead.

New Castle district—R. F. Randolph, presiding elder; Edenburg, A. C. Locke; Grove City, W. Douglass; Jackson and Stoneboro, H. A. Tests; Mercer, J. A. McCanney; New Castle, Croton, S. A. Smith; New Castle, Epworth, J. Parsons; New Castle, First church, H. M. Conway; New Castle, Grace, J. C. A. Borland; New Castle, Mahoning, J. T. Black; New Castle, Wesley, C. W. Foulke; Sharon, First church, R. C. Rankin; South Sharon, Paul Bennett; Sharpsville, S. L. Mills; Slippery Rock, R. F. Miller.

The next conference will be held at Warren

Grand Jury Sent Home.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—The grand jury was sent home by Judge Rogers when common pleas court convened for the September term today. The court announced that court cases only would be heard for the next three weeks until the new jury commission law has been tested. There is an unusually large civil docket and any delay will cause the court great inconvenience.

BOARD ORGANIZES.

Leaders in Shipping Combine Meet in Office of Morgan & Co. Details Discussed.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—The general board of the International steamship combination organized by J. P. Morgan met today.

Those present included Mr. Morgan, W. J. Pirrie of the Harland & Wolff Shipbuilding Company of Belfast, Ireland, the accredited representative of these interests abroad; Clement A. Griscom and P. A. B. Widener.

Organization has been perfected, according to a representative of the Morgan firm, and shares of the companies in the combination have been deposited. Beyond the statement that additional details had been discussed at today's meeting, no information was given out.

GOOD PIANOS
And Money Saved

Hamilton's Old Reliable Store Makes Prices Irresistible to Induce Early Buying.

There are many reasons why persons in need of new pianos should not delay buying, if they wish to take advantage of the special prices prevailing at Hamilton's. It does a music lover's heart good to see the magnificent instruments which are now to be had here at considerable reductions.

This is not a paltry offering of a few pianos, but is the result of a determination on the art of Hamilton's to make inducements irresistible to those who will buy without delay. There will be an enormous demand for instruments for Christmas, for indications all point to the largest business in the history of the trade. Hence, the advantage of making one's selection NOW. Hamilton's are perfectly willing to make the prices lower to induce you to come at once rather than wait till the very busy season has set in. You can go over the store at your pleasure and make your selection of anything in the stock without fear of being hurried. Later in the season it will be impossible to give customers the same attention as at present.

It is well to remind you of the fact that the best pianos in the world are sold at Hamilton's. Such, for instance, as the A. B. Chase, the J. & C. Fischer, the Schumann, Hamilton, Smith & Barnes, etc. You'll have no difficulty in making a selection, as they make known to all lovers of good music.

You can buy a GOOD piano at this store from $200 up—and pay for it at your convenience, in easy weekly or monthly payments. If you have an old instrument it will be accepted in part payment, at its full value.

Write if you cannot call.

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EXPECTANT HEIRS TO LARGE FORTUNE

Akron Men May Share in $50,000,000 Estate of Their Uncle.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

AKRON, O., Sept. 15.—Harry E. Hamlen and Earl Hamlen left Akron tonight for Cripple Creek, Col., where they will attend the funeral services of their uncle, W. S. Stratton, the mining king.

With the exception of Mrs. H. H. Cobbs, Stratton's sister, the young men are the closest relatives the multi-millionaire had, and in case Stratton left no will they will share with Mrs. Cobbs $50,000,000 which Stratton left. The Hamlens do not know what provision was made by their uncle for the disposal of his wealth, but as they have been at different times the recipients of his bounty it is supposed that he has remembered them.

Harry Hamlen not long ago received a draft for $20,000, and while Earl has never received as much, he has been well favored at times. Harry is secretary and treasurer of the Cuyahoga Falls Steel & Wire Company and Earl holds a position with the Webster, Camp & Lane Machine Company.

Grand Jury Takes Up Hahn Case.

MANSFELD, O., Sept. 15.—Among the cases to been considered by the grand jury this week is that of former State Insurance Commissioner William M. Hahn, wanted in New York State on a charge of taking Manhattan Fire Insurance Company funds, and who was afterward arrested here on the same charge. Judge Dillon, in charging the grand jury today, stated that he did not think a man could be convicted for having brought property here that had been stolen by him in New York.

Woman Found Dead.

WASHINGTON, PA., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—Miss Anna Grayson, daughter of the late Thomas W. Grayson, was found dead in bed at her home at 346 South Main street this evening, apparently having been dead for several hours. Miss Grayson was aged about 51. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Samuel Avers of Morewood avenue, Pittsburgh; Mrs. A. C. Richmond of Meadville and one brother, T. W. Grayson of Pittsburgh. She was a niece of the late Dr. Wray Grayson.

Beaten and Robbed.

WARREN, O., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—Highwaymen robbed Frank Fentsmaker of Garrettsville, O., an Erie operator at DeForest, last night, taking about $60 and his gold watch. Fentsmaker was nearly killed. When found he was in a dazed condition and had been wandering aimlessly about for hours.

Frost in York County.

YORK, PA., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—At an early hour this morning a general heavy frost prevailed throughout York county. Mrs. L. H. Greenawald, observer of the York weather station, reported the lowest temperature of the season, 37 degrees during the forenoon. Many persons are wearing winter wraps.

New Plant for Greensburg.

GREENSBURG, PA., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—The Parr Wagon Company of Irwin today purchased eight acres of land in South Greensburg from the Keystone Coal and Coke Company and will move their plant to this place.

WILL CONFER ON VICE.

Recorder to Meet Public Safety Officials and Police Magistrates Today.

City Recorder Brown will have a meeting at 11 o'clock today with the police magistrates, Supt. McAleese and Director Leslie with reference to the vice crusade. It is desired to have talk with the police judges as to the object of the crusade and the power they are expected to take in it. McAleese and Leslie were on hand yesetrday for the talk, but the magistrates did not appear.

While at the office of the recorder yesterday morning Supt. McAleese met John Connor, who, the superintendent claims, he had to eject from his office for interfreing in behalf of three disorderly houses. Connor was in to see the recorder to get some fines reduced. The recorder would not grant his request.

CALDWELL CHAMPION.

Defeats Bobbie Walthour in Two 10-Mile Heats—One Is Given by Default.

HARTFORD, CONN., Sept. 15.—Harry Caldwell of this city won the cycle paced championship of America tonight, defeating Bobbie Walthour of Atlanta in two straight 10-mile heats.

The first heat went to the Hartford man by default. After riding two and a half miles Walthour's wheel was punctured, and he refused to continue, although he had a spare wheel. The second heat went to Caldwell by nearly a lap, the time being 13:03 1-5.

Caldwell has won 25 races this season and lost but three, defeating Walthour, Elkes, Freeman, Nelson and all the best riders in the country.

WOUNDED AT A WEDDING.

John Sheacock of Braddock Was Cut With a Hatchet.

There was a wedding in the Hungarian colony in Braddock last night and, as is usual, there was also a fight before it was over. As a result of the fight John Sheacock is suffering from a bad scalp wound, which may prove fatal. The wedding was held in Willow alley, Braddock, and was followed by the customary dance, when everyone pays a certain sum and dances with the bride.

This part of the celebration was in progress when some dispute arose over some person's right to dance with the newly wedded woman. The dispute turned into a fight in a few minutes and Sheacock was hit over the head with a hatchet. Dr. J. A. Miller worked with him for more than an hour before he regained consciousness. His condition is said to be serious.

George A. Kelly Still Very Sick.

STOCKBRIDGE, MASS., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—This evening George A. Kelly is still in a critical condition, but Dr. T. S. Southworth said there was no change during the morning. Mr. Kelly tossed about somewhat, but not so that it was thought anything but a temporary symptom.

Boy Struck by a Train.

Herman Willis, nine years old, was struck by a train on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad at South Sixteenth street last night and one of his legs was badly hurt. He was taken to his home, No. 184 South Seventeenth street.

TICKET SUITS COLORED MEN

The Afro-American Republican League Indorses Pennypacker and the Browns.

ANGRY WITH ROOSEVELT

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW CASTLE, PA., Sept. 15.—The annual convention of the Afro-American Republican League of Western Pennsylvania was held here today, and was attended by over 100 delegates, among them all the prominent colored politicians of this part of the state.

The counties represented were Lawrence, Beaver, Washington, Westmoreland, and Allegheny. The latter had the bulk of the delegates. President Roosevelt came in for condemnation for his alleged action advising against sending colored delegates to the next Republican national convention from the south, because they are purchasable. The league wishes this explained satisfactorily before Roosevelt receives its support.

Pennypacker and the Browns were indorsed, while special resolutions were passed indorsing Senator Quay for his leadership of the Republican party. The Allegheny and Lawrence county Republican parties were individually indorsed, while the last legislature came in for condemnation. The millionaire syndicate alleged to have attempted to purchase franchises. The legislature was also condemned because it contained no colored members.

A central idea of the delegates was the necessity of colored men securing greater representation among office holders, and ways and means to this end were long discussed.

The next convention will meet at Sewickley next September. The following are the officers elected, the majority being from Allegheny county: President, J. Wilfred Holmes; first vice president, W. T. Lang; second, Louis Costley; third, George W. Kincaid; fourth, James Monroe; fifth, J. R. Raymond; secretaries, J. H. Porter and T. Brightwell; treasurer, Peter Doup; chairman executive board, George A. Neal; chief organizer, John W. Clark.

ALLEGHENY'S FALL GOLF SCHEDULE

The Country Club Will Start Program on September 26—Meets Highland September 27.

Secretary O. D. Thompson of the Allegheny Country club yesterday announced the fall schedule of events for the 18-hole course back of Sewickley. The program includes the five fall matches of the Allegheny team in the competition for the championship of Western Pennsylvania, the contest with the champion Highland team, which won the spring match, being set for September 27. Immediately following this on October 1, 2, 3 and 4, the open play for the amateur and open championships of Western Pennsylvania will be decided, the present titleholder being E. M. Byers of the Allegheny Country club. The full schedule is as follows:

September 26, handicap medal play for women. Mrs. Darlington cup, postponed from June 6.

Sept. 27, Highland vs. Allegheny at Allegheny.

October 1, 2, 3 and 4, Western Pennsylvania championships on Country club course, Sewickley.

October 8, Edgewood vs. Allegheny, at Allegheny.

October 10, handicap medal play for Miss Howe cup.

October 11, tournament for men.

October 17, Pittsburgh vs. Allegheny at Allegheny.

October 18, 18-hole qualifying round for president's cup, eight to qualify.

October 20, 21 and 22, match play rounds for president's cup.

October 24, medal play handicap for women for Mrs. C. A. Painter cup.

October 25, Westmoreland vs. Allegheny at Logans Ferry.

October 31, handicap tournament for women.

November 1, Cresson cup for men.

November 25, Edgeworth vs. Allegheny at Sewickley.

ACTRESS PREVENTS A PANIC.

The Dress of a Woman in the Balcony Catches Fire.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 15.—Miss Percy Haswell made her initial appearance as a star under the direction of Henry B. Harris at the Columbia theater tonight, presenting Capt. R. Marshall's comedy, "A Royal Family."

In the first act what might have proved a panic was averted by her presence of mind. The dress of a woman in the balcony caught fire and alarmed many of those present, but Miss Haswell stepped forward and succeeded in reassuring the audience, so that the play went on.

Big Oil Producer.

BEAVER, PA., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—The Homer Dawson farm oil well, near Georgetown, is producing 100 barrels a day. It is only a short distance from the well on the Ferguson farm, which came in four weeks ago and is producing 40 barrels a day. Both wells belong to Pittsburgh men.

Do not dose with pills and potions, they irritate the stomach and wreck the nerves.

JOHANN HOFF'S
EXTRACT
keeps the entire system in healthy working order.

Insist upon Johann Hoff's Extract and take none of the cheap substitutes offered as "just as good." They have nothing but their cheapness to recommend them.

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A Letter From Congressman White, of North Carolina.

PE-RU-NA IS A HOUSEHOLD SAFEGUARD.

No Family Should Be Without It.

PERUNA is a great family medicine. The women praise it as well as the men; it is just the thing for the many little catarrhal ailments of childhood.

The following testimonials from thankful men and women tell in direct, sincere language what their success has been in the use of Peruna in their families:

Louis J. Scherrinsky, 163 Locust street, Atlantic, Iowa, writes:

"I will tell you briefly what Peruna has done for me. I took a severe cold which gave me a hard cough. All doctors' medicines failed to cure it. I took one bottle of Peruna and was well.

"Then my two children had bad coughs accompanied by gagging. My wife had stomach trouble for years. She took Peruna and now she is well.

"I cannot express my thanks in words, but I recommend your remedy at every opportunity, for I can conscientiously say that there is no medicine like Peruna. Nearly everyone in this town knew about the sickness of myself and family, and they have seen with astonishment what Peruna has done for us. Many followed our example, and the result was health. Thanking you heartily, I am."—L. J. Scherrinsky.

Mrs. Nannie Wallace, Tulare, Cal., President of the Western Baptist Missionary Society, writes:

"I consider Peruna an indispensable article in my medicine chest. It is twenty medicines in one, and has so far cured every sickness that has been in my home for five years. I consider it of special value to weakly women, as it builds up the general health, drives out disease and keeps you in the best of health."—Mrs. Nannie Wallace.

Peruna protects the family against coughs, colds, catarrh, bronchitis, catarrh of the stomach, liver and kidneys. It is just as sure to cure a case of catarrh of the bowels as it is a case of catarrh of the head.

HON. GEORGE H. WHITE.

Congressman George Henry White, of Tarboro, N. C., writes the following letter to Dr. Hartman in regard to the merits of the great catarrh cure, Peruna:

House of Representatives,
Washington, Feb. 4, 1899.

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:

Gentlemen—"I am more than satisfied with Peruna, and find it to be an excellent remedy for the grip and catarrh. I have used it in my family and they all join me in recommending it as an excellent remedy."

Very respectfully,
George H. White.

Peruna is an internal, scientific, systemic remedy for catarrh. It is no palliative or temporary remedy; it is thorough in its work, and in cleansing the diseased mucous membranes cures the catarrh.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

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Everything that I ate seemed to come up in my throat, and whenever I ate anything greasy it always gave me a horrible feeling. I saw an advertisement of Ripans Tabules and thought I would try them. The first three boxes I took made a great change in me, and now I would not be without them.

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The Five-Cent packet is enough for an ordinary occasion.

The Family bottle, 60c, contains a supply for a year.

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The Coon Hollow Folks Do the Pittsburgh Exposition in Next Sunday's Gazette.

WILL FURNISH WATER SUPPLY TO MANY TOWNS

National Water Works Guarantee Company Begins Operations.

LATROBE PLANT WAS THE FIRST BOUGHT.

Its Service Will Be Extended to Number of Small Towns. Other Deals Are Under Way. Many Plants to Be Absorbed.

The National Water Works and Guarantee Company of Pittsburgh and New Jersey has started to absorb the water companies supplying many towns and cities in Western Pennsylvania. The first deal to be put through was completed on Saturday, when the Latrobe Water Company was bought out for $400,000. W. A. Johnston, the manager of the system, will retain his position under the new ownership.

Along with the plant the watershed from which the supply is drawn was also purchased and this plan will be followed in all possible cases. The Latrobe company drew its supply from the headwaters of the Loyalhanna and the fluid is pure mountain water. The system operated from this watershed will be largely increased and many other towns and hamlets in that vicinity will be given the same pure water supply that Latrobe has had for many years, by November 1, as work will begin at once on new pipe lines.

The National Water Works Guarantee Company was chartered in New Jersey with a capital of $1,000,000 and this will be largely increased later. The company, which has its headquarters in this city, has begun negotiations for the purchase of several other companies and expects to absorb a great number of small plants in this section in the near future. A number of these have been unable to carry out their contracts with customers and many of them have never made any money.

The company is represented in this city by C. R. Buehheitt, who is well known in many industrial enterprises throughout Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio and West Virginia. He stated yesterday that the company will make the Latrobe plant one of the most complete and satisfactory water concerns in the state. He is president of the El Paso & Jaurez Traction Company, the McDonald Water Company and is associated in several important industrial enterprises.

The officers of the National Water Works and Guarantee Company are C. H. Wells, director of the First National bank, Scranton, Pa.; J. J. Jermyn, Scranton, Pa., president; William Walker, Philadelphia, vice president, and George G. Brooks, Scranton, Pa., treasurer.

The directors are James W. Linen, president of the First National bank, Scranton, Pa.; J. J. Jermyn, Scranton; T. J. Brooks, Scranton, and C. R. Buehheitt, Pittsburgh.

CAMPAIGN BALL TO BE UNVEILED AT ERIE

Republican Clubmen Will Roll the Heavy Iron Sphere from One End of State to the Other.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 15.—Ex-Judge Pennypacker, Senator Penrose and ex-Postmaster General Charles Emory Smith left Philadelphia tonight at 11:20 to speak at Centre Hall tomorrow afternoon at the Republican rally at the Grangers' picnic. Brief stops are possible at Bellefonte and Bald Eagle on the way to Lock Haven, where connection will be made for Erie.

The party will attend the meeting of the State League of Republican clubs, which they will address at Erie on Thursday night, and will proceed to Pittsburgh, returning to Philadelphia on Saturday.

Delegates to the Erie convention of the State League of Republican clubs will leave tomorrow morning, 300 strong, on a special train over the Pennsylvania railroad.

The Republican campaign ball, which was designed by Joseph M. Huston, architect of the new state capitol, and which is to be rolled from one end of the state to the other by members of the State League of Republican clubs, is already in Erie, and its unveiling will prove one of the most interesting features of the convention. The ball is of iron, is 10 feet in diameter and weighs 900 pounds. It has President Roosevelt's picture on one side and one of Judge Pennypacker on the other, besides a map of the United States.

SOUSA'S LAST NIGHT.

He Closes His Engagement at the Exposition With a Patriotic Concert.

After a two weeks' series of concerts at the new exposition that have been very successful, John Philip Sousa and his famous band close their engagement tonight. The best evidence of Mr. Sousa's popularity was the presence last Saturday of 15,000 persons, and last night again of an enormous throng. In honor of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics, who will attend tonight from all parts of Allegheny county, Mr. Sousa will give his last concert a distinctly patriotic tinge, and to this end has placed Victor Herbert's fine "American Fantasie" upon the program in addition to patriotic encores.

Miss Estelle Liebling likewise makes her last appearance tonight and will favor her audience, both afternoon and evening, with the soprano solos that have awakened so sympathetic a response in the hearts of her exposition admirers. Mr. Sousa's program for this afternoon follows:

2 p. m.

Overture, "Spring" ..... Goldmark
Meditation, "The Dying Poet" ..... Gottschalk
Cornet solo, "Souvenir de Prague" ..... Hoch
Mr. E. Kenneke.
Airs from "Christ and the Wonderful Lamp" ..... Sousa
(a) Monastery bells ..... Lefebre-Wely
(b) Caprice, "The Passing of Ragtime" ..... Pryor
Tarantelle, "Neapolitaine" ..... Julian

4 p. m.

Overture, "Summer Night's Dream" ..... Suppe
Rhapsodie No. 2 ..... Liszt
Soprano solo, "Indian bell song from "Lakme" ..... Delibes
Miss Estelle Liebling.
Scenes from "Lohengrin" ..... Wagner
(a) Valse, "Bird of Hope" ..... O'Neill
(b) march, "Semper Fidelis" ..... Sousa
Rondo militaire (new) ..... Boehm

Two Postoffice Robberies.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 15.—The post office department has been notified that the postoffice at Pittsfield, Wis., and Hazlehurst, Pa., were broken into last night and robbed. About $105 in stamps were taken at Pittsfield, and a quantity of stamps, money orders and postal funds was stolen at Hazlehurst.

President's Pay for Mrs. McKinley.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 15.—A treasury warrant for $30,000 was forwarded today to Mrs. Ida S. McKinley, widow of the late president, for salary which would have been due him on July 1, 1902, the appropriation for which was made at the last session of congress.

LOCAL NEWS OF ALL PITTSBURGH

Contagious Diseases — Fourteen cases of scarlet fever and four of diphtheria were reported to the bureau of health yesterday.

Farmer Died Suddenly — Louis Clark, 65 years old, a farmer of Moon township, died suddenly yesterday at the home of his sister. Heart disease caused death.

Dropped Dead Wheeling Brick—Lee Fuller, colored, of Thirty-ninth street and Liberty avenue, dropped dead at 6:10 o'clock yesterday evening, while wheeling a barrow loaded with brick near his home. Apoplexy is thought to have caused death.

Braddock Schools Open—The Braddock public schools opened yesterday with the largest enrollment of pupils in their history. The opening was delayed by repairs being made in all of the four buildings. Manual training and domestic arts are new features this year.

A Large Theater Party—One of the largest theater parties of the season thus far was given at the Grand opera house last night to see "A Stranger in a Strange Land," when 50 employes of the Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Company occupied a block of seats in the orchestra circle.

Kicked Passenger in Face—William Ross, a conductor for the Pittsburgh Railways Company, will have a hearing this morning by Magistrate McGarey at Central station, on a charge of assault and battery. C. W. C. Goldstone alleges that during a dispute with Ross about a fare, the latter kicked him in the face.

Burglars Made a Haul—Burglars entered the home of I. Jacobs in Dickson street, Homestead, early yesterday morning and secured two gold watches, several rings and $50 in cash. A lock on one of the outside doors was picked. The jewelry and money was taken from bedrooms and was owned by two roomers.

Did Not Get Promised Job—H. W. Lewis, who conducts an employment agency in Sixth avenue, was yesterday committed to jail on an information made by William Turner, who charged false pretense. Turner alleges Lewis promised to get him a position for one dollar, and after collecting the money failed to make good his promise.

Made Shortage Good — Eugene Hurst was yesterday discharged from the jail, where he had been confined on a charge of embezzling $118.81 from the American Bridge Company. A. Williams, secretary of the bridge company, made the charge. Hurst made good the amount of the alleged embezzlement and the case against him was dropped.

Automobile Caused Accident—Mrs. Henry Schwartz of Millvale is suffering at her home from injuries received Sunday afternoon by being thrown from a buggy in which she was driving with her husband on the Evergreen private road. The horse frightened at an automobile driven by Gustave Stitzer and overturned the buggy.

Alderman Helping Police—Maud Claxton, the alleged proprietress of a disorderly house, with Mabel Darlington, Jesse Belmont and Sadie Porter, visitors, was committed to jail last night for a hearing by Alderman John R. Connor. Constable Joseph Thompson, who arrested the women, stated at the jail that the arrests were made at the instance of Police Superintendent McAleese.

President McGraw Sued—John McGraw, president of the Thirtieth ward school board, is under bail for trial at court on a charge of cruelty and neglect of his two minor children. McGraw, who is a puddler in a South Side mill, lives at No. 410 Manor street, and the suit was brought by the Western Pennsylvania Humane society, because of reports against McGraw furnished by neighbors. McGraw's wife is dead.

Hurt at Atlantic City—Mrs. Mary Smith, wife of W. H. Smith, a well-known Pennsylvania railroad conductor, was severely injured by being thrown from a cab in Atlantic City last week. Mrs. Smith, who is a niece of Alderman David McKelvey of Allegheny, went to the railroad station to meet Mrs. McKelvey and Mrs. Mary Low of Allegheny, and while returning to the hotel the horse ran away.

Is Building Reservoir—Work was commenced by the Carnegie Steel Company yesterday on a large reservoir on the hill south of its Homestead plant. The reservoir will cost $15,000 and will be large enough to supply the steel plant for several days in case of breakdowns in the pumps. The plant was formerly supplied from a small reservoir near the Carnegie library, but the property has been sold.

Morgue Wagon Came Too Soon—John Strand, 50 years old, of Elm street, was struck and rolled by a car in Forbes street and received severe injuries about the head yesterday. He is at Mercy hospital, and it is said he will recover. Strand when struck fell in front of the car at Forbes and Magee streets and by the time the car was raised the morgue wagon had appeared on the scene. It being thought that Strand had been killed.

Flags Were Dedicated—Yesterday was a big day with the Shavonic residents of Homestead, the occasion of the dedication of the American flags presented to St. Peter's society of the borough. Ceremonies were held lasting all day, several thousand persons participating in a parade and the other ceremonials. The flags were presented to the society by the women of Sts. Peter and Paul church and yesterday they were dedicated.

An Unlucky Hen Roost—Mrs. Mary McLaughlin of First street, Braddock, is having an experience in raising chickens that is very discouraging. Several times last year she succeeded in getting together a fine lot of fowls only to have her hen roost robbed shortly after. Nearly a dozen times this has occured and each time every chicken in the coop was taken. The last robbery occured some time early yesterday morning, when 45 fine, fat birds were taken.

To Testify Against Burglar—J. S. Armstrong, Jr., of No. 2709 Webster avenue will appear as a witness against a burglar in Medina, O., in two weeks. Armstrong, in company with Joseph Taylor, Harry F. Mack and Henry Deering, all of Pittsburgh, was kidnaped by three men near Wadsworth, O., last November and it is alleged the men told the boys they had committed a burglary. Two of the men are now serving time in Ohio, having been convicted on the evidence of the boys.

To Buy an Island—Burgess J. Clyde Miller of Homestead left Sunday evening for Michigan in the interest of a number of Homestead men who intend to purchase an island in Lake Huron, to be converted into plots for summer residences. The Homesteaders intend to buy one of the Snow islands, within the Dominion of Canada. It has been a favorite summer resort for Homestead families for years and recently they decided to purchase it and improve the island with a hotel and cottages.

Old Justice Will Resign—Justice of the Peace Edward H. Morton of Homestead, the oldest justice in the borough, announced yesterday that he would resign his office next week and move with his family to California, owing to ill health. Mr. Morton has been a resident of Homestead the greater part of his life and is highly esteemed. George Jacobs, president of the borough council, has announced himself as a candidate for the office, and his friends will ask Gov. Stone to appoint him until the next regular election.

Small Strike Is Declared—A strike of 35 members of local No. 35 of the Amalgamated Glass Workers' International Association of America was declared yesterday. It is thought the matter will be adjusted in a few days and that the workers will return to their employment. On July 17 the local presented its grievance to the art glass firms for approval. The matter has not been fully settled, and some of the men have gone out. The local is affiliated with the Building Trades council and will be supported by its members in this strike.

To Be Running Next Week—All the flint glass houses in the country are expected to be in full fire by next Monday. It was expected that the South Side factory of the Macbeth-Evans company would start yesterday morning, but the pots and tank were not in condition to open up. The furnaces and continuous tank will be ready at the close of the week, and the plant will be put into operation on Monday. The Lippincott Glass Company of Alexandria, Ind., has been started and is now running full. This plant has two furnaces and one continuous tank. This fire promises to be very successful throughout the flint glass district.

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BENNINGS—On Saturday, September 13, 1902, at 4:25 a. m., MOLLY DONAVAN, wife of John J. Bennings.

Funeral from the family residence, 1260 Forbes street, on Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Services at St. Paul's cathedral at 9. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

Montana daily and weekly papers please copy.

BARDSLEY—On Monday evening, at 9:15, THOMAS MARSHELL, twin son of Joseph and Elizabeth Marshell Bardsley.

Funeral services at the family residence, No. 11 Riverview avenue, Allegheny, on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Interment private at a later hour.

CAVITT—On Monday, September 15, 1902, at 7:40 a. m., LOTTA B., wife of J. H. Cavitt, aged 39 years.

Funeral from her late residence, 7002 Hamilton avenue, on Wednesday, September 17, at 2:30 p. m. Private interment.

[Wellsville (O.) papers please copy.]

GRACE—On Saturday, September 13, 1902, at 3:30 a. m., MARY A. DUFFY, wife of Thomas Grace.

Funeral from the family residence, 114 Wooster street, on Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Services at St. Bridget's church at 9. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

HARROLD—At Beaver Falls, Pa., on Monday, September 15, at 7 p. m., ISADORE LOUISE, daughter of Simon and Louisa Harrold.

Notice of funeral later.

MITCHELL—At the residence of his grandfather, William Boyd, 5628 Wilkins avenue, East End, on Monday, September 14, 1902, at 6 p. m., THOMAS J. H. MITCHELL, only child of Elizabeth and the late William Mitchell, aged 3 years.

Funeral services Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

O'DONNEL—On Monday, September 15, 1902, ROXANNA M., wife of R. L. O'Donnel.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

PAYNE—On Saturday, September 13, 1902, at her residence, Love avenue, Elliott borough, EMMA ELIZABETH, dearly beloved wife of John Payne, in the 73d year of her age. Mother of Mrs. Fred Schulze of Wilmerding, Pa.; Mrs. E. R. Rupp of 3900 Second avenue, city, and Mrs. Laura Daugherty, Mt. Lebanon.

Funeral services on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

ROTHHAAR—Suddenly, on Monday, September 15, 1902, at 7:40 a. m., SADIE H. ROTHHAAR, aged 18 years.

Funeral from the family residence, Bethel township, Wednesday, September 17, at 10:30 a. m. Interment in Bethel cemetery. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WHERRY—On Sunday, September 14, 1902, at 6:45 a. m., at the residence of her brother-in-law, W. H. Lemon, No. 13 South Fourteenth street, Pittsburgh, ANNA B., daughter of Robert S. Wherry.

Funeral services at the First Presbyterian church, Carnegie, Pa., on Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

WILLIAMS—On Saturday, September 13, 1902, at 2:15 a. m., at her residence, Butler, Pa., JEAN GLENN GRAY, beloved wife of Albert S. Williams, aged 28 years, 11 months, 16 days.

Funeral services at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Catherine Gray, Charleroi, Pa., on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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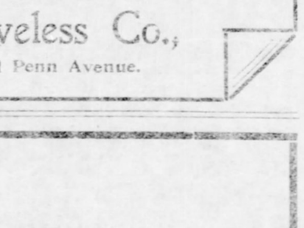
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FOURTEEN PAGES.

City Hospital Muddle.

The municipal hospital problem does not grow easier. It is the opinion of the city attorney that the counter signature of the controller is necessary to make the contract valid and the controller refuses to sign. There would be no problem, however, if a straightforward business policy had been pursued. It was decided by an expert committee a few years ago that a group of cottages would best meet requirements, the cost was estimated at $300,000, and that amount was voted for the purpose. More than half the fund has been squandered upon other city buildings. Even of the $125,000 remaining the director of the department of public safety desires to divert $45,000 from the use for which it was voted and to erect a hospital utterly inadequate to meet the public necessity.

The present contagious diseases hospital is an archaic structure, overcrowded, unsanitary and a disgrace to the city. The need for a new hospital is urgent. But that urgency cannot justify the intent of the constituted authorities to substitute another inadequate and unsuitable structure. The controller is right in resisting the attempt to the full extent of his power.

Wabash in Greene County.

Greene county is giving substantial assistance to the Wabash interest in the matter of its eastern extension toward tidewater. Greene county is not wholly unselfish. The line promises a development of its resources that could not be obtained in any other way. But the county is showing the right spirit—a disposition that should be appreciated by the new railroad and recognized by fair rates. Meantime Pittsburgh is likely to be a beneficiary, though by no means a deadhead in the enterprise. Pittsburgh is the incentive that has made the entire project possible.

Freaks of the Rio Grande.

As a result of a recent flood stage the Rio Grande has changed its channel, cutting off about a hundred acres of land from the Mexican side and placing it in the United States. It is said this same tract of land has for the third time changed its nationality, a flood five years ago having taken it from Mexico, and another two years later transferring it back to that country.

The possibilities for boundary disputes are large when such changes can be made by a river at flood stage, and there has been slight friction between the governments of the nations interested. It is gratifying, therefore, that a commission is arranging to fix a permanent boundary line, and when that has been done the Rio Grande may go on rampages without endangering the relations between the two countries along whose borders it runs.

Bishop Fallows' Mission.

Bishop Fallows speaks out about the anthracite strike in most positive fashion. "It must be settled," he says, and he offers some reasons why that consummation is desirable, but he offers nothing that indicates he will be more successful than others have been in gaining concessions from either side in the immediate future. Of course, the strike will be settled. The momentous question is when and how?

It is not to be assumed, even for a moment, that this stoppage of industry can be prolonged over many more costly months while employer and employe wrangle aimlessly about their selfish interests. If they cannot bend their pride to mutual concessions the public will exercise its right to force a settlement in its own interest, for the general welfare, and will take measures that will cause it to stay settled for awhile. It will recognize neither the trusteeship from Providence averred by Mr. Baer, nor the imaginary right to use force to prevent the resumption of work assumed by the miners.

Bishop Fallows goes to his task with marked preference for the side of the workmen. It is natural that his sympathies should be in that quarter, for popular sympathy is always with the men in a dispute over labor and wages. But if his mind is open to conviction he will speedily learn there are two sides to the case. President Mitchell opposed the strike before it was inaugurated and a good many conservative miners were of his opinion that it was unnecessary. The acts of violence since, in the effort to frighten men away from the mines argue nothing for the justice of the cause. On the other side, there is arbitrary decision and anger where there should be a disposition to conciliate.

If Bishop Fallows can break down the barrier of false pride and distrust that has been raised between miner and operator in the anthracite region he will accomplish much good. He will earn the gratitude of the people. Until he has tried we may not discourage his efforts. If he fails, yet he will have helped to swell that tide of public opinion that will eventually sweep the barriers away and compel a resumption of industry.

The Campaign Opening.

Yesterday the Democratic speaking campaign was begun at McConnellsburg; today the Republican campaign opens at Center hall. The Democratic oratory is a fair sample of what we may expect from that side—vague charges of corruption and vaguer promises of reform in the state; carefully studied exclusion of all other issues. To day we shall have samples of Republican speaking—fearless discussion of both state and national policies, advocacy of positive and definite measures. On Friday evening Pittsburghers may hear for themselves, for then Judge Pennypacker and others will make addresses in Old City hall.

In his McConnellsburg speech ex-Gov. Pattison propounded the objects of good government and the means of obtaining it in general terms that no one will deny. Then he passed to charges of gross corruption during the legislature of 1901. Precisely similar charges were made against the legislatures of 1891 and 1893, at which times Robert E. Pattison was governor. His presence in the executive office did not prevent bribery or rumors of bribery. Then, as in 1901, rumor connected the names of Democratic members of the general assembly prominently with the alleged boodling operations. The differences between the sessions of 1893 and 1901 were chiefly that the former was held during the reign of Democratic hard times and the vicious bills were defeated by Republican members of the legislature, while the session of 1901 was in an era of Republican prosperity and a number of bad bills were enacted principally by the aid of Democratic votes.

What the Democrats promise to reform in some vague way the Republicans promise to reform upon definite lines. For example, election laws and the primary system. The Republican committee is drafting bills. What do the Democrats propose? Candidate Guthrie charges the Republican organization with having broken its pledges for ballot reform. He ignores the fact that Col. Guffey and the Democratic state chairman declined to propose measures for that purpose when Senator Quay promised his utmost assistance to have them enacted. Then, as now, the Democracy was howling about evils, but it had no remedies to propose.

Nearly always the Democratic is a party of negation. The Republican party is positive. The Democratic party wants to tear down, while the Republican party is always ready to build up. This is no less true today than when the Democracy of the south was trying to disrupt the union. When the attack is not upon the nation itself it is upon its industries, its financial credit, or its progressive institutions. In this state campaign it is simply attacking the majority party for real and imaginary evils in the body politic without offering one definite idea of what it would do if in power. The single idea is the invitation to the people to change the political control of the state, and the sole object is to procure the emoluments of office for Democratic candidates and some advantage for the party of free trade and free silver.

As the Republican campaign progresses it will be seen the party has something to offer the voters besides the desire of the candidates to hold office. Living issues will be advanced and definite propositions will be made for the improvement of the government and the benefit of the state and its people. It is easy enough to cry corruption against the dead legislatures of the past, but the public wants something more than that as a guarantee of what it may expect in the future.

Relieving the Money Market.

Secretary Shaw, who went from the breezy west to take charge of the treasury department, is a man of ideas, but he is not so set in his ways as to refuse to change his plans when cases are altered by circumstances. Mr. Shaw had ideas on the government's relation to the money market. He was of the opinion that further purchases of bonds by the treasury were inadvisable, and it has been understood he is averse to increasing the government deposits in national banks. He was quite aware that large quantities of money would be needed in the fall for crop moving purposes, but he hoped the necessary currency would be secured by an increase in the note circulation of the banks, the receipts of gold from the west and possibly by the exportation of gold from Europe.

The demand for money has been in excess of the supply, however, and rates on call loans in New York have reached high figures. One reason for the scarcity of money is the unexpectedly large absorption by the treasury. The cutting off of the war taxes was expected to result in a deficit, but receipts from customs duties have been so large and continue so large that vast sums of money are locked up in the government's vaults. It is this change in circumstances that has modified Secretary Shaw's views, and he is expected to come to the relief of the money market by increasing the deposits on the government in the national banks, as well as by anticipating the payment of pensions and interest on bonds.

The system by which money paid to the government is withdrawn from circulation is crude and unbusinesslike. It resembles the action of men who hoard cash instead of putting it in a bank, where it will be available for business needs. A regular movement of the money received by the government, through the usual financial channels, instead of permitting it to accumulate in the treasury, would have a beneficial effect on the financial business of the country. It would help to avoid the necessity that frequently occurs for coming to the "relief of the money market."

The President Keeps Open House.

President Roosevelt's reception to his friends and neighbors of Nassau county yesterday was an event long to be remembered. It was an event the like of which would be possible in no other country on earth. The chief magistrate of a nation of 85,000,000 of people in true republican simplicity, kept open house and greeted the thousands on thousands who called to pay their respects. Before the reception ended Mr. Roosevelt may have thought that nearly all the population of the United States had accepted the invitation. At all events, he must have been vastly surprised at the number of his neighbors. The consumption of lemonade was enormous, for everybody wanted a drink, especially as the drinker was permitted to keep the glass as a souvenir. The reception ought to impart a boom to the tumbler making industry. It was wise to cut out the introductions and to forbid conversation. With 18,000 persons to greet the president between 3 and 6 o'clock, there was no time for callers to have chats with their host. The weather man was good, and President Roosevelt's "at home" day at Sagamore Hill was a glorious success.

Superannuated Ministers.

In the course of an appeal for funds for superannuated ministers the Rev. Dr. Wortman, an aged pastor of a Reformed church, spoke bitterly of the lack of attention to old ministers. He declared that a young, golf-playing preacher is preferred to one of ripe experience, and is the one who gets the fashionable church, while the old minister must spend the remainder of his days as best he can.

Considering the age of Dr. Wortman, who is nearing his eightieth year, it is probable he has unintentionally exaggerated the situation. When a man, whether a minister or worker in any other sphere, becomes an octogenarian finds it difficult to sympathize with the youthful element, and seeing the younger men reaping the rewards of mental and physical vigor, he is apt to believe the old are being pushed aside and neglected. At that age a man usually should retire from active effort, thankful that he has been spared so long.

In the church the young members of the congregation need looking after, and the guidance comes most gratefully from those whose ages do not show a great disparity. Were all the members of churches to grow old with the pastors there would not be a necessity for a change, but the future of the church depends upon the young of the present, and to them concessions must be made in the pastorate.

There are many ministers who have grown old in the service and are still occupying pulpits. They are to be found in every community of considerable size where there are churches, and some of them are as vigorous mentally as many of the preachers who are much younger. As long as a minister of the gospel is able to perform his work satisfactorily he is deserving of retention, and he should be well cared for after he has outlived his usefulness as a leader in spiritual affairs. It is to this latter duty Dr. Wortman is calling, and it must be admitted the churches are none too liberal in the matter.

Our oleaginous contemporary, the Oil City Derrick, was displeased with The Gazette cartoon representing Editor Smith of Punxsutawney in congress, which it affects to believe did Mr. Smith an injustice by representing him as a "punster and wit." The Derrick may rest assured The Gazette is supporting Mr. Smith as warmly as the Derrick can. The cartoon in question merely indicated that when Mr. Smith takes the floor he will not be greeted by empty benches, as many congressman are, or by a listless, inattentive house, for the gentleman from Punxsutawney has wit of which neither he nor his friends need be ashamed. The Gazette fully indorses the Derrick's proposition that "Mr. Smith is a man of dignified and modest presence, who in no way aspires to become known as a buffoon or a political humorist," but that need not prevent him from brightening the proceedings in congress somewhat.

When future enumeration of the deeds of our present-day statesmen grows tiresome an easy generalization can be made by declaring of a particular leader "the man who failed to settle the strike."

So intent is Col. Watterson upon destroying the "400" that it will require more than the ordinary hip-pocket activity in Kentucky to divert his attention.

The disintegration of the Union party in Philadelphia has put the North American to the embarrassing necessity of revising its biography sketches.

As things have turned out, Duke Boris is not the only one who regrets that he missed the boat on which he originally intended to sail a week ago.

The Tom Johnson circus is absolutely unique in at least one respect. The gate receipts are not depended upon to buy fresh meat for the animals.

The pictures of the St. Louis boodlers printed in the newspapers leave little room for doubt as to their guilt.

Tom Platt quietly got off the track when he discovered who was firing the engine.

That Oyster Bay clergyman made a mistake, but he evidently meant well.

The man with the ping-pong ankle has limped into temporary obscurity.

This frosty weather is sure to bring the goosebone man from his lair.

The September "hot spell" evidently missed its connections this year.

NEWPORT SET LED BY PITTSBURGHERS

That City Settling Down to Its Winter Population—New Yorkers Go Home.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Sept. 15.

The social season is opening in New York. The cool weather has something to do with the sudden moving of the smart set from Newport, Bar Harbor, Lenox and the other out-of-town resorts that usually keep the people of wealth and social position out of the metropolis till the end of October. Certain it is that there are more Fifth avenue homes now open than have been seen without their summer swaddling clothes at this time of year for a decade. Newport is still lively, but the leaders of society are moving out day by day, and in another month there will be no one there, aside from the business people who live there perpetually and the few social lights that consider the air of the city by the sea the most healthful in the world. Among these are several Pittsburghers. It has been recognized for some time that Pittsburgh is making more and more headway in society in Newport, and naturally that city will be well represented in the summer colony. But New York is the most attractive place to New Yorkers as soon as the air is chill, and uptown streets have early taken on the aspect of gaiety that makes this metropolis the most delightful place on the continent in the winter months. The boardings have been taken from front doors, the iron shutters swung back from windows and dust swept out of basement yards. The "families" are home. Merchants look forward to a most prosperous winter, since business has begun several weeks sooner than was expected. Delivery wagons of aristocratic fashion are dashing up and down Broadway and "the avenue" night and day, and spruce messengers in blue and gold step along, big with the importance of their missions. It is the way here for jewelers, haberdashers, florists and others that cater to the "swell" trade to dress their messengers in liveries more or less imposing, and this afternoon, when scores of them were bustling about, Fifth avenue looked as if a military fete was in progress. At night the scene is still brighter, for nearly every house is lighted up and the stranger from another city might well be pardoned for believing that there is a ball or reception in every millionaire home.

Young Vanderbilt Forsakes Newport.

William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., having disposed of his racing automobiles, has come to New York. He says he will stay here and not go to Newport at all except for short visits to relatives. He reiterated this afternoon his determination to keep away from Newport for good and all, but no one believes that he will maintain his resolution. His principal reason for cutting Newport out of his life is that the authorities object to his speeding his automobiles there. He has given up his Panhard racers, but he still keeps his locomobile for ordinary use, and the police of New York are just as petulant over fast-moving horseless carriages as their brethren in Newport. No doubt, then, when he has been hauled up sharply once or twice by Tammany policemen he will make up his mind that in trying to avoid Scylla he has tumbled into Charybdis.

A Bad Telephone Habit.

Like every other big city in America, New York suffers from telephonitis. It may be rather worse in this metropolis than in Pittsburgh and other smaller centers, because the distances here are so long that the use of telephones is imperative in business transactions which elsewhere might be carried on face to face. Every business man relies more upon his telephone than his bodily presence in carrying on his affairs. Lately a peculiar grievance has been well aired here. It is the habit of many men of calling up others by their office boy and making the called one wait with his ear glued to the receiver until Mr. Busyman has time to walk to the telephone and say "Hello!" Where the man has a telephone on his desk it is not so bad; but in establishments where the use of the telephone involves walking to the booth, perhaps at the other end of the room, the calling up of a man of business by an office boy becomes an impertinence. That is the way it is looked on here, and many men have made it a rule not to answer a call unless it is made by the person that intends to do the talking. The telephone is a great convenience, but it may easily become a nuisance.

Ticket Sellers' Speedy Method.

Persons who ride on the "L" will notice, if at all of observant disposition, that the ticket sellers do their work with a celerity equaled only by the lightning change artist of a big circus. How do they manage it? Peep into one of the little ticket offices and you will see that the methods of the man inside are identical with those of the circus man. There is only one way of selling tickets rapidly, whether at an "L" station or from the red wagon of a Barnum & Bailey circus. When you hand in your money through the little opening your coin or greenback goes to the ticket seller's left, and from that side comes the ticket, which he tears off from the long strip with his right hand. Almost simultaneously the same hand shoves out your change, for he has the exact change for your coin or bill ready, counted out and piled up. Close to his right hand, just inside the little window, are a lot of nickels for changing dimes. Next to these are nickels and dimes arranged with 20 cents in each pile, ready for the man with a quarter. Then there are a lot of 45-cent piles and others that contain 95 cents, so he don't need to stop to count out your change. If you call for two tickets and hand in a dollar the ticket seller takes a nickel from one of the 95-cent piles and instantly has the change that you require; and whenever there is a lull in the stream of ticket buyers the man behind the window replenishes his piles of change so that he is seldom caught without just the amount you need already counted out for you.

Hill and the Tiger.

There is a belated anecdote of ex-Gov. D. B. Hill's acceptance of the Tammany olive branch at that Democratic club dinner some weeks ago. The Sage of Wolfert's Roost put up at the Manhattan. In the corridor ex-Gov. Frank S. Black met him.

"Mr. President," exclaimed Mr. Black, bowing low.

"Mr. Senator," replied Mr. Hill.

"Ah, but Platt blocks my ambition," said Mr. Black.

"And Tammany comes between me and the white house," said Mr. Hill.

"But Tammany is taking you into the fold tonight, I understand," said Mr. Black.

"Precisely," replied Mr. Hill. "Tammany is enfolding me after the manner of the lady and the tiger."

"You mean the smile is on the face of the tiger."

"With me inside her," added the Sage of Wolfert's Roost.

The Soft Answer Wins.

It was at the rush hour—just 6 p. m.—when all but one of the stamp windows at the south end of the general postoffice are closed as the people hurrying homeward stop to buy stamps and mail letters. There was the usual long line of impatient people waiting their turn, when a neat little woman came directly to the window on the wrong side and a gruff voice shouted:

"Take your place in line!"

"Mind your manners, man," put in another. "Ladies are always first."

The reproved man took umbrage and retorted angrily. The little woman hastened to oil the troubled waters with:

"It was my manners that were bad. We ought not to claim old-fashioned privileges of sex when we talk about equal rights. But Uncle Sam is the worst offender not to have more clerks to attend to us when we are all in such a hurry to get home."

"You first, lady," said the gruff one, who by this time had got up to the window, as he gave her his place. Her soft answer had won.

Pennypacker Among the Germans.

One of a group of Pittsburghers swapping yarns in the western corridor of the Waldorf-Astoria this evening told this little anecdote about Judge Pennypacker, the Republican nominee for governor of Pennsylvania. The judge's summer home is in the Perkiomen valley, in the land of the Pennsylvania Germans. He is fond of telling stories illustrating the rude force with which the people of that dialect use the English language.

"A woman," said he, "who served customers in Manayunk with butter used to take an accommodation train which followed an express train. The schedule was changed so that the local train reached Perkiomen Junction ahead of the fast train. The butter woman was greatly elated, and in a high, shrill voice she congratulated the conductor in this fashion:

"'Vy, you're first ad last; you're early of late; you used to be behind before.'

"The same woman," continued the judge, "gave a new setting to an old saying.

"'Birds of joost der same feder always generally go togeder py derselves mitoud anybody else mid dem.'"

Good Points of the Immigrants.

"The more I see of the immigrants who come into the new world at this port, the more I admire their courage," said a priest who has been long engaged in the work of looking after those of his religion that pass through the great human clearing house on Ellis Island. "And it is because of their courage that the government makes no mistake in admitting them to the land. That is the capital out of which these strangers in a strange land build fortunes. As for the money capital—just think of it! The average amount of cash in the pockets of the immigrants is $11 10. And yet I venture to say that few, very few, of the half-million immigrants that landed here in the past year have become public charges. In fact, the rarity of applications for the deportation of immigrants after they have been admitted proves that almost none of them comes upon the poor authorities. The aggregate of $5,500,000 a year which these people bring to this country in cash is as nothing in a land of wealth, but the infusion of their energy, endurance and thrift into the nation is a wholesome counteractive to the enervating influence of luxury."

Visiting Firemen.

New York has more than its usual quota of professional firemen tonight. The annual convention of fire chiefs will open at the Grand Central palace tomorrow, continuing until Friday night, and most of the delegates already have arrived. Miles S. Humphreys, chief of the department of Pittsburgh, was seen in Broadway this afternoon. He had visited several of the engine houses to shake hands with friends there, and had spent some time at fire headquarters, talking over matters connected with his calling, and exchanging opinions. As a general proposition, it may be safely said that firemen are among the most genial set of men in the world, and there is no question that the delegates will have a pleasant social time in New York this week, besides learning from one another much that will make their work more effective everywhere. Everything will be wide open for the visitors. There will be 600 of them.

Hard on Union Square Hotels.

Union square continues to be a subway storm center. One side of Fourth avenue has been blasted out, iron-lined and relaid, and hotel proprietors in the neighborhood began to hope that the worst was over; but it was not so to be. The other side of the road is in the hands of the dynamiters, and the maddening hum of the electrical drills making holes for charges of explosives is heard day and night, punctured by terrific reports as a few pounds of giant powder lets go. The hoboes who try to sleep in the park in spite of the chilly weather, find their rest so disturbed that they are disposed to give it up, while guests at the hotels grumble as they pay their bills that they have not had their money's worth of slumber. The contractors cheerfully declare that the work is progressing satisfactorily, and that when the time comes to establish rapid transit under Manhattan island, Union square will be ready to fall in line. Cold comfort for Dusty Rhodes, Weary Walker and the ilk, but all that is at their disposal under present conditions.

Roosevelt a Loyal New Yorker.

If all the New Yorkers attended President Roosevelt's reception this afternoon that said so tonight in uptown resorts, there can be no complaint that Manhattan was not sufficiently represented at Oyster Bay. It is a fact that the president is more than a mere chief executive of the nation to the average Gothamite. With them he is, first of all, a New Yorker, and it was as a New Yorker that many of them called on him today. And, by the way, no one has ever heard Theodore Roosevelt resent the claim of his fellow-townsmen that he is a little more to them than to the rest of the United States.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

WALDORF-ASTORIA.
Dr. R. S. Marshall. Mrs. M. B. Chaplin.
Misses Chaplin. D. C. Bakewell.
W. M. Bakewell. T. H. Bakewell.
J. D. Munroe.

MANHATTAN.
Mrs. W. K. Thompson. Miss Thompson.
U. P. Beyer. J. D. Baxter.
S. Hamilton. Mrs. S. Hamilton.

NORMANDIE.
A. K. McMiller. Dr. A. De Roy.
Mrs. A. K. McMiller.

MARLBOROUGH.
H. C. Pulliam. Mrs. L. Dockstader.

HERALD SQUARE.
H. Hampton.

IMPERIAL.
H. G. McCutcheon. J. S. Bryan.
Mrs. J. S. Bryan. W. D. Hamilton.
W. E. Carnahan. J. T. Arnold.

GRAND.
F. H. Ortman.

HOLLAND.
J. A. Hardy. W. F. Urbaner.
J. S. Irwin. J. M. Milliken.
W. W. Blackburn and family. J. L. Lowther. A. L. Weil.
Miss M. B. Lowther. S. C. Hartwell.
Miss C. Rogers. Mrs. S. F. Rogers.

GILSEY.
W. H. Johnson.

VICTORIA.
S. Van Kenesen.

HOFFMAN.
S. S. Brown.

ALBEMARLE.
Miss A. T. McGirt. D. Roney.

FIFTH AVENUE.
L. N. Edwards. Mrs. L. N. Edwards.
Mrs. W. E. Askin. Miss A. N. Trader.
Miss M. Divine. L. S. Smith.
E. A. Nisbet. Mrs. F. Laninger.
E. C. Mathews. M. A. Christy.
Mrs. W. Scott.

BARTHOLDI.
J. B. Allen. Mrs. J. B. Allen.

MORTON.
H. Evans.

BROADWAY CENTRAL.
F. Lender. C. T. Kelly.

ST. DENIS.
W. R. Sparks. E. T. Johnston.

ASTOR.
W. Beern.

Didn't Change His "Line."

From the New York Times.

A recent visitor to New York was Mr. Henry Ittelson of St. Louis. Mr. Ittelson sailed for the ministry, but abandoned that profession to join Mr. Glasser in organizing the stock brokerage firm of Glasser & Co., of St. Louis.

One evening recently, accompanied by Mrs. Ittelson, he visited relations to his wife present in the home of Mr. Jacob Freund, the linen importer of Franklin street. When the good nights were being exchanged, Mr. Freund's son remarked to his father as he grasped the hand of Mr. Ittelson:

"And just to think, father, Mr. Ittelson was intended for the ministry and now he is a stock broker."

"Yes. Still dealing in futures," remarked the host.

AFTER ONE YEAR OF DEEP SORROW

Tributes to William McKinley from Every Part of the Great Country.

It is well that we recall again the loss we felt in his death, that the forces of the demons in humanity may understand that they can kill a man like McKinley, but they cannot destroy the lesson his life has taught, nor the love his personality has awakened.—Brooklyn Times.

The year that has passed has raised William McKinley in memory to a place very dear in the hearts of the American people. We see more clearly the beautiful character that was his, and our memory of the events of his life is mingled with impressions of the sweet resignation of his death. It is well worth while to contemplate such a character, and the lessons which his life and death suggest.—Buffalo Express.

The result of McKinley's management of our national affairs was a sense of public repose and of confidence in the government that made his term a shining mark in our national history. Never was the democratic ideal more devotedly and ably guarded or more fully realized than in the time of the statesman whose life Americans today remember with reverence and affection.—New York Sun.

The future will doubtless have developments as great as those of the past. But up to this time our national history has been marked by three great and distinct epochs, and Washington, Lincoln and McKinley are enshrined together as the central and commanding figures of those epochs. With the historic proportions of McKinley there is blended a sweet and engaging personality which makes him mourned by the whole nation as a personal friend.—Philadelphia Press.

Since Lincoln no president faced responsibilities greater than those which confronted McKinley, and his sense of responsibility was keen. He remarked to ex-President Cleveland before taking his official oath: "What an impressive thing it is to assume tremendous responsibilities." Mr. Cleveland, after relating the incident in his memorial address at Princeton, truthfully said that this was the key to President McKinley's administration of the presidential office.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Without ostentation: free from every stain of condescension or superiority; wearing no phylactery and making no man sadder by a hint of scorn, William McKinley walked among his fellow-creatures like some prophet of encouragement and love. No eminence obscured his sight. No power cramped his sympathies or confined his fine solicitudes. The most potent ruler in the world, he was yet a mortal quick with understanding and compassion. Great as were his power and authority, still greater were his affection and his benevolence. The American people do well today in paying tribute to that noble life, that gracious memory.—Washington Post.

The career of William McKinley was filled with unremitting effort, stimulated by a proud ambition, yet sweetened by a gracious comradeship unsurpassed by any nature. His stainless conduct and domestic devotion were equally as characteristic as the civic and public qualities that made him more the leader of a united people than any president since the civil strife. His life is an inspiration and a victory for all that was and is best in human life, while the final test drew forth a Christian heroism that had touched the world and made that deathbed a hallowed place to a great people and a sacred memory to them and theirs forever.—Baltimore Herald.

Tens of thousands of people all over this land will recall William McKinley, not so much because he was president when he died, and had been a great statesman and party leader, but because he was the true man in every relation in life. He is William McKinley, the man who most appeals to the better side of our natures—William McKinley, who lived so much in the inspiration of God's truth that he died so grandly that his dying touched the civilized world's heart. Such men never die. The name of William McKinley, in the years to come, will be an incentive to all who seek the best in life. Fortunate is the nation that possesses the precious memory of a Lincoln and a McKinley.—Indianapolis Journal.

To many of us looking back through the vista of years Washington and Lincoln seem as divinely sent to make and save a nation. The figure of McKinley inspires no awe bordering upon fear, but an entirely human respect and affection. We feel that he was a man—such a man as in our better moods we would all like to be—and as a good man among men we love to cherish his memory. Pure in word and deed, just and upright, loving his friends and not hating his opponents, careful of every social duty, benevolent in every private and public relation, the good husband and good neighbor, steadfastly seeking righteousness in public as in private life, to the normal American William McKinley seems the type of what he likes to believe is normal American manhood. That is why his memory is cherished in loving remembrance—that is why our thoughts turn today to McKinley the Man.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

An Anecdote of Gen. Grant.

From the Youth's Companion.

A somewhat dramatic conversation is that which G. S. Boutwell reports as having passed in 1866 between President Johnson and Gen. Grant.

"I may wish to send you on a mission to Mexico," said the president.

"It will not be convenient for me to go to Mexico," returned Gen. Grant.

Some time after this Grant was invited to a cabinet meeting, at which Mr. Seward read a paper of instructions to him as minister of some degree to Mexico. The contents of the paper could not have made a strong impression on Gen. Grant, for he said afterward, in speaking of the incident:

"The instructions came out very near where they went in."

But at the end of the reading he remarked: "You recollect, Mr. President, I said it would not be convenient for me to go to Mexico."

Some discussion followed, and then the president rose from his seat and struck the table with some force.

"Is there," said he, "an officer of the army who will not obey my instructions?"

Gen. Grant took his hat in his hand, and remarked quietly:

"I am an officer of the army, but I am a citizen also; and this is a civil service you require of me. I decline it."

He left the meeting. It happened finally that Gen. Sherman was sent to Mexico.

"OUR MARTYRED PRESIDENT."

Written for The Pittsburgh Gazette.

Let all true hearts of this great land,
Revere the time and day
Our martyred president was laid
Midst wreaths of flowers, away;
This great man of the present age
Who led the nation right
In time of war; but lo! in peace,
He fought his last great fight.

No cannon boomed around him then,
No charge or no retreat;
But all was calm and quiet when
His brave heart ceased to beat;
A faint, weak smile o'er spread his face,
Death's sleep was creeping on;
"Good by, all; good by; it is God's way,
His will, not ours, be done."
When merciful unconsciousness
Would set his great brain free,
He faintly whispered, but they heard:
"Nearer, My God, to Thee."
And so dear brother countrymen
Bow down before the shrine,
The martyred chief and Christian he,
Revere the day and time.

—Roy Loomis Patterson.

Sept. 14, 1902.

PERSONALS.

The 43d annual session of the state council of the Pennsylvania Junior Order United American Mechanics will be held in the Monongahela house this morning at 10 o'clock. Over 300 delegates are now present and will take part in the session. The meeting promises to be one of the most interesting ever held by the order and much business of importance will be transacted. From all parts of state delegates are present, and much suppressed interest is being taken in this meeting.

Late last night all the delegates had arrived, and the hotel lobbies were crowded with them. All arrangements had been completed before nightfall for the

STATE COUNCILLOR W. T. TUTHILL
of Scranton.

opening of the convention. Early in the evening many of the delegates were entertained by Pride of the West council. This morning the delegates will assemble in the large hall of the Monongahela house when the business of the meeting will open. The meeting promises to be the most successful ever held by the state council. W. T. Tuthill of Scranton will preside. He has been prominently connected with the order for many years and has a large following in the convention. It is thought that he will be elected one of the national representatives.

Mr. Tuthill has represented his council in the state body for the past five years. He was chairman of the entertainment committee at Scranton in 1899 and comes to Pittsburgh as one of the best-known officers in the organization. He will have the support of the delegates from Lackawanna, Wayne, Wyoming and Luzerne in his contest for national representative for the middle district.

"I came to America on a vacation," remarked W. H. Thompson of Auckland, Australia, while waiting for his train west last night. "I am connected with the government service of New Zealand, and only took a few days off to see the country. Auckland is rapidly building up, and in a short time will be one of the leading cities in the antipodes. Many new buildings are being erected, some of them being what you Americans call 'skyscrapers,' but their erection is being delayed by lack of structural material. Our contractors have arranged with your Pittsburgh firms for their material, but your structural iron is being greatly delayed. We expect to have these buildings erected by the next rains and hope that our iron will arrive from Pittsburgh in time for our spring opening."

Patrick Dolan, president of the Pittsburgh district of the United Mine Workers, who went to England a short time ago as fraternal delegate from the American Federation of Labor to the British Trades congress, is now at his old home in Airdaire, Scotland. The congress closed on September 6. In a letter received at the headquarters of the miners' union the other day President Dolan sent a beautiful descriptive account of a visit he made to the "Hielands" to hear the Gaelic language. There is a suspicion at the miners' headquarters that President Dolan is now playing golf and wearing a Highland kilty.

Arthur T. McFarland, known as Tiger McFarland, the celebrated football player, passed through the city to Philadelphia last night. He has just closed an engagement with the Wallace professional team of that city, and will appear with them on the gridiron. McFarland has taken on much flesh during the summer and now weighs 218 pounds.

Lieut. Jack G. Quimby of the United States navy is registered at the Hotel Duquesne. Lieut. Quimby came to Pittsburgh yesterday to recruit for the navy. On his last assignment he succeeded in taking 108 rookies east with him. Pittsburgh is a prolific field for naval recruits and Quimby is always sent to it by the navy department.

Henry Muth, superintendent of the Allegheny bureau of police, was a passenger to Philadelphia last night. Supt. Muth went east to attend the session of the prison congress now being held in Philadelphia.

George E. Kepple, a former well-known Pittsburgh newspaper man, now editor of the Chronicle of La Porte, Tex., is in the city visiting friends.

Senator William Flinn went to Tyrone last night.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

Among those at the leading Pittsburgh hotels last night were the following friends and neighbors from nearby points:

Victoria—Frank H. Bender, Ashland; W. Kelrn, Jr., Johnstown.

Newell's—A. S. Carr, Wheeling, W. Va.

Seventh Avenue—F. P. Hogan, Erie; S. A. McLeane, Weston, W. Va.; H. Barth, East Liverpool, O.; H. Conners, Petersburg; W. H. Murpaugh, Salem, O.; H. P. Moore, Morrisville; R. W. Stentz, Donora.

Henry—J. B. Reinhart, Waynesburg; H. Hargan, S. P. Boyd, Uniontown; E. A. Brown, Warren; J. D. Sloan, East Brady; E. W. Pierce, Zanesville, O.

Griswold—H. D. McDonald, Elyria, O.; H. L. Miner, Waynesburg; G. W. Neff, Masontown.

Duquesne—G. S. Ramsey, St. Mary's; J. J. Shynck, Meadville.

Anderson—H. J. McMahon, Monessen.

Lincoln—John D. Overholt, Wooster, O.

Monongahela—J. L. Wilson, Fairmont, W. Va.

EYE-OPENERS.

"Thank heavens," said the Cheerful Cuss, "that the man who borrows trouble never pays it back."—Baltimore Herald.

"Don't you think that young man is afflicted with a swelled head?"

"No," answered Miss Cayenne; "he's not afflicted with it; he enjoys it."—Washington Star.

"What kind of a stove did the prehistoric man use?" asked little Ostend.

"Probably he used a mountain range," chuckled paw, without looking up from his paper.—Philadelphia Record.

"Uncle William, what is your opinion of politics?"

"I dunno, suh. De las' time I had dealin's wid it, it only gimme a dollar fer two votes; so I wonders what politics' opinion is of me!"—Atlanta Constitution.

How doth the busy little fly
Improve each shining minute
He buzzes round the stuff we eat,
And ends by tumbling in it.

—Chicago Tribune.

SOUSA'S AND KING EDWARD'S BEARDS

English Monarch Admires the Hirsute Adornment of the Bandmaster.

BANDMASTER JOHN PHILIP SOUSA has long been distinguished by his jet black beard. Years ago, when he was the leader of the celebrated United States Marine band in Washington, statesmen frequently commented upon Sousa's whiskers, and among the foreigners at the capital the black beard of the musician very often aroused envy, the Frenchmen, Italians and Spaniards being particularly ambitious to model their mustaches, goatees and "side sluggers" after those of the graceful leader of the big band. Considering the attention that Sousa awakened in this respect, it will not be surprising to learn that King Edward VII. of England was equally well taken by the musician's beard.

Last winter the Americans were "commanded" to play before the king of England in Sandringham palace, and it was while there that Edward took cognizance of Sousa's whiskers. One of the leading members of the band—a man who has played a big trombone under Sousa's baton for a good many seasons—told the story to a Gazette reporter one evening last week after 5,000 persons had demanded their encores of "The Pittsburgh Gazette March."

"If people on this side of the Atlantic imagine that King Edward always rides on his dignified, aristocratic hobby, they are certainly very much mistaken in their estimate of that monarch," said the trombone man. "We found the king to be just about as much like other mortals as any Englishman could be. He has his own little jokes, and they are better than any you see in Punch. When his collar button chafes the back of his neck I think he could swear quite as unctiously as any man. He keeps time to music by tramping with his right foot and applauds by bringing the palms of his fat hands together with the enthusiasm of a first-nighter who has enjoyed a good dinner.

"When we reached the platform in the palace we struck up 'God Save the King' while the royal party entered. We played the piece standing up, and when we had finished it played our own national song, 'The Star-Spangled Banner.' In deference to this the king and all

M'CLANDLESS IS WANTED FOR THE NEXT RECORDER

Old Constituents of Director of Public Works Ask Him to Be Candidate.

SO FAR, HE HAS REFUSED TO CONSIDER IT.

Three Times Within the Last Few Days Committees Have Called on Him, Urging Him to the Fight.

Director J. Guy McCandless of the department of public works refused three times within the past few days to allow the use of his name in connection with the recordership fight that is to be launched after the county campaign is over. Three committees urged the director to be a candidate, but he unconditionally refused, saying that under no circumstances would he be a candidate. The persons behind the movement, however, are not disposed to take the director seriously when he refuses.

DR. J. GUY M'CANDLESS, Director of Public Works, Who Is Being Urged to Become a Candidate for Recorder of Pittsburgh Next February.

It was learned yesterday that the idea of having Director McCandless become a candidate for the chief executive office of the city originated in the Eighth ward, which the director represented in councils for many years; but it was also learned that it spread to other parts of the city and is being taken up by not a few people. The men who have fallen in with the idea are citizens in the various wards not connected with politics, who believe that the genial director of public works would be a good man for the executive head of the city government and could be elected on the Republican ticket.

Director McCandless treated the matter rather lightly yesterday when he was asked about the manner in which his name was being used in connection with the nomination. He refused to talk about it at any length, except to say that he had heard of it.

"Have you been approached by anyone?"

"It has been mentioned to me," the director said.

"What was your reply?"

"I said I would not have anything to do with it, and that under no circumstances would I consent to be a candidate.

Director McCandless was in council for a number of years from the Eighth ward and succeeded George L. Holliday as president of the common branch in 1898. Politically he was always a follower of J. O. Brown, the present city recorder, and it is not likely that he would consent to be a candidate if it would in any way embarass Recorder Brown. That individual having declared himself out, the organization is thinking at odd moments about a candidate, and it would not be surprising if Director McCandless might make some trouble before the organization slates its choice.

SHOT BY FOREMAN.

Dispute in Belt Line Contractors' Camp Ends in Wounding and Arrest of Patrick McCoy.

Patrick McCoy, a negro laborer at the Belt Line railroad in Jefferson township, was lodged in jail yesterday afternoon suffering from two gunshot wounds in the right leg. He is charged by John C. Zolrist, foreman on the road work, with felonious shooting before Justice J. P. James.

McCoy and Zolrist got into a dispute in one of the camps Sunday afternoon and McCoy fired on Zolrist. McCoy's aim was bad and before he could do any damage Zolrist took refuge in his shanty and, arming himself with a Winchester rifle, returned the fire. Zolrist put two bullets through McCoy's right leg above the knee, one on either side of the bone.

McCoy was brought to the jail by Constable John Parson in a buggy and placed in the jail hospital, where Dr. A. V. Cheesrown attended him. He is held in default of $1,000 bail.

HOW FLINN TREATED THEM.

Failed to Show Up at Hearing Promised Labor Leaders.

Thomas E. Jones of the National Paving Cutters' union, affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, and Calvin Wyatt, organizer of the federation, were to have held a conference with Senator William Flinn yesterday in relation to the organization of the quarrymen employed at Packsaddle and the reinstatement of five men discharged for joining the union.

They met Senator Flinn on Saturday and he promised to give them a hearing. Instead he turned them over, so the committee reports, to George Flinn, who refused to take action in the matter. The labor leaders are indignant at the treatment they received.

Your Last Chance to Go to Niagara Falls
Saturday, Sept. 20th for $5.00 Round Trip
Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Railroad.

The last cheap excursion of the season is via B., R. & P. Ry., tickets good for five days. Trains leave P. & W. depot, Allegheny, 9 a. m. and 9 p. m., city time. Secure your tickets and sleeping car berths in advance at ticket office, 500 Smithfield street, or P. & W. depot, Allegheny.

CAMPBELL'S.
Ladies' Walking Suits.

Some very smart effects to be seen here. A popular fabric is the new snowflake mixture in blue and white or black and white—the jacket tight-fitting and double-breasted, velvet collar and belt, finished with tabs in back, new puff sleeves; nine-gored flared skirt with pretty stitched bands, very low-priced, at $20.00.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE,
527-533 Fifth Avenue.

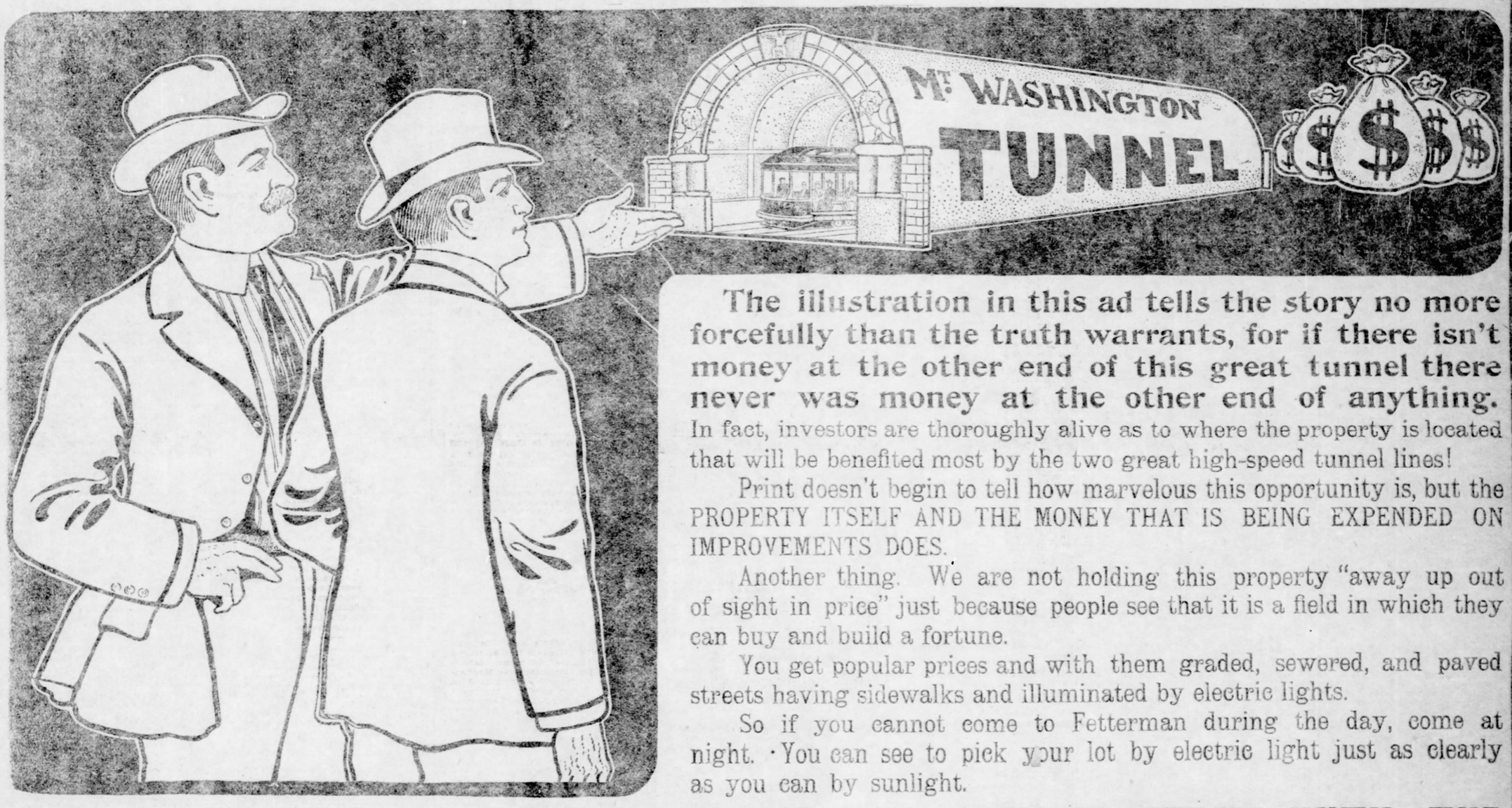
What a Crush! What a Jam! What Enthusiasm! But this

UNPARALLELED LOT SALE

AT

FETTERMAN

is an exlensive proposition! There are still plenty of remarkable opportunities for all persons who do not delay.



The illustration in this ad tells the story no more forcefully than the truth warrants, for if there isn't money at the other end of this great tunnel there never was money at the other end of anything.

In fact, investors are thoroughly alive as to where the property is located that will be benefited most by the two great high-speed tunnel lines!

Print doesn't begin to tell how marvelous this opportunity is, but the PROPERTY ITSELF AND THE MONEY THAT IS BEING EXPENDED ON IMPROVEMENTS DOES.

Another thing. We are not holding this property "away up out of sight in price" just because people see that it is a field in which they can buy and build a fortune.

You get popular prices and with them graded, sewered, and paved streets having sidewalks and illuminated by electric lights.

So if you cannot come to Fetterman during the day, come at night. You can see to pick your lot by electric light just as clearly as you can by sunlight.

TAKE MT. LEBANON HILL TOP CARS DIRECT TO THE PROPERTY UNTIL THE GREAT TUNNEL LINES ARE FINISHED!

Although Fetterman will have many other advantages, don't lose sight of this: The thing that's going to earn the money for the people who buy Fetterman lots is the fact that the value of the property will be increased by two tunnel lines with a schedule of

10 MINUTES FROM 5TH AVENUE!
7 MINUTES FROM LAKE ERIE DEPOT!

Keep in mind also that one of these tunnel lines has tracks through the property and the other will be but one square away. "Seeing is believing" and the man that visits Fetterman cannot help believing on this account.

MONEY GIVEN AWAY!

This remarkable sale of lots at Fetterman is characterized by special innovations which investors will do well to get posted on at once. From now on you can get CERTIFICATE OF REQUEST enabling you to secure a new kind of money order calling for GRAND FREE GIFT. These certificates are now being distributed to all who apply in person or by letter to our city office, 417 Fourth Avenue. The money orders will not be given out except at office on the property and to persons who have first received the CERTIFICATES OF REQUEST and present these certificates upon arriving at the office on the property, or to any of our uniformed money-order clerks, who may be found at different points on the property. These clerks will wear white caps and white badges to designate them.

It will be worth your time to make the trip for the CERTIFICATES, in order that you may exchange them, when you reach the property, for the MONEY ORDERS, none of which specify an amount for you less than $5.00.

Every person who applies with certificates for and secures one of these FREE GIFT ORDERS will be given the exact number of dollars the order and provisions bequeath, but no order will be accepted or cashed if presented after the date stamped on the back.

GOOD SIZED LOTS AT THIS FIRST BIG SALE AT FETTERMAN WILL GO AT

$100 to $500

Remember that you get paved streets and four lines of traction cars—that you will be within seven to ten minutes' ride of the busy city.

Terms during this great sale will be: 5 Per Cent Down, Balance 2½ Per Cent Per Month. No Taxes! No Interest! And 10 Per Cent Discount for Cash When Paid Within 60 Days.

Title Insured by the Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Pittsburg, Pa.

HAAS & LAUINGER, Agents, 417 Fourth Avenue, Pittsburg, Pa., Directly Opposite Postoffice.

BEAUMONT LED PIRATES TO VICTORY---TOMMY RYAN STILL CHAMPION

THE CARDINALS WERE EASY FOR THE CHAMPIONS

Pirates Went at Wicker and Scored as They Pleased.

BEAUMONT WIELDED HIS BAT HARD.

The Red-Headed Outfielder Had Four Hits—Sebring Was Also in Line and Bumped the Ball Hard.

YESTERDAY'S LEAGUE GAMES.

Pittsburgh	6—St. Louis	1
Brooklyn	7—New York	2
Chicago	6—Cincinnati	3
Philadelphia	7—Boston	0
Philadelphia	4—Boston	2

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pc.		W.	L.	Pc.
Pittsburgh	90	51	.638	Chicago	74	68	.521
Brooklyn	69	58	.543	St. Louis	55	85	.447
Boston	62	69	.508	Philadelphia	51	74	.408
Cincinnati	64	64	.500	New York	44	78	.361

Today's League Games.

Boston at Philadelphia.
Brooklyn at New York.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
Chicago at Cincinnati.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

St. Louis, Sept. 15.—St. Louis fans do not see much pleasure in witnessing the final stages of the Cardinals' death struggle. Sunday's game drew a scant 3,000 people. Today's brought out just a handful of the regulars. Even these did not remain till the game was over.

Pittsburgh started out to make a runaway race of it and took a safe lead of three runs in the first inning. The final score of 6 to 1 in favor of the Pirates, does not represent by any means the relative merits of the team at this fag-end of the season. The Cardinals have lost hope and ambition, and are playing far below their best form.

Made Merry With Wicker.

The visitors might have made the score 60 to 1 or 600 to 1, as they pleased. It was nothing to Donovan's men, who are thinking more just now about securing snug berths for next season, than about playing baseball this season. The Pirates made merry with the efforts of the rejuvenated Wicker, fresh from the pasture. He was supposed to be fresh and fit, but he didn't last long. The champions handled his singles, doubles and triples at pleasure and finally he took a mournful seat, after 11 hits had been registered off him in half a dozen innings.

McFarlane, the pitching end of the former Cedar Rapids battery went into the box with his gold side-partner Weaver, who had been receiving Wicker's shants, coaching him where to put them over. McFarlane did well for a minor leaguer, but the damage had been done, the Pirates had the game cinched, and they did not exert themselves further.

Indeed, so listless was the game put up by both sides and so frequent the misplays, that the general feeling among the fans was of thankfulness that the Pirates would appear here no more and that the National league season is so nearly ended. Pittsburgh scored three times in the first inning, on Beaumont's triple, Clarke's single, Leach's long fly to Smoot, Sebring's safety, Clarke and Sebring's double steal and Burke's single.

Beau and his Bunt.

In the fifth Beaumont worked his specialty of beating out a bunt, but was forced by Clarke. Leach's triple scored Clarke and Sebring's double scored Leach. Another run in the sixth gave the Pirates all the runs they needed and Leever kindly permitted the Donovanites to score one run and avoid the humiliation of a shutout. The score:

PITTSBURGH.	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Beaumont, m	5	1	4	4	0	0	0
Clarke, l	5	2	1	2	0	0	0
Leach, 3	4	1	1	2	2	3	0
Sebring, r	4	1	1	3	3	1	0
Tannehill, 1	4	0	1	11	0	1	0
Burke, 2	4	0	1	2	4	0	0
Conroy, s	4	0	0	2	4	0	0
Phelps, c	4	1	1	2	2	0	0
Leever, p	4	0	0	0	2	1	0
Totals	38	6	12	27	15	2	

ST. LOUIS.	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Farrell, 2	4	1	2	4	2	0	
Smoot, m	4	0	1	2	1	0	
Dunlap, l	4	0	0	1	2	0	
Donovan, r	4	0	0	0	1	0	
Nichols, 1	4	0	2	11	0	0	
Kruger, s	4	0	1	1	3	1	
Colburn, 3	4	0	0	2	1	0	
Weaver, c	3	0	0	4	1	0	
Wicker, p	2	0	0	0	2	0	
Mcgarlan, p	1	0	0	0	1	0	
Totals	34	1	7	27	11	2	

Pittsburgh	3	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0—6
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1

Two-base hits—Nichols, Beaumont, Phelps. Three-base hit—Leach. Double play—Sebring, Burke and Bransfield. Passed ball—Phelps. Stolen bases—Clarke, Beaumont, Sebring. Bases on balls—Off Leever 1, off Wicker 3, off McGarlan 3. Left on bases—St. Louis 6, Pittsburgh 5. Time—1:42. Umpire—O'Day.

BOSTON TEAM BEATEN.

The Quakers Brace Up and Play Good Ball.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 15.—Philadelphia won two games from Boston today by opportune hitting. The first game was poorly played, but brilliant fielding marked the second contest. Attendance, 9,00. Score:

FIRST GAME.

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philade'a.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Lush, m	0	1	1	1	0	Thomas, m	1	0	4	0	1
Tenney, l	0	0	5	1	0	Barry, r	2	1	1	0	0
Dexter, s	0	1	1	4	3	Hulsew't, s	0	2	1	1	0
Cooley, l	2	2	1	0	1	Jen'gs, 1	1	1	14	1	0
Carney, r	0	0	2	0	0	Keister, 2	1	1	3	4	0
Grem'r, 2	0	1	2	4	1	Dougl's, c	1	2	2	0	0
Long, 2	0	0	1	1	1	Green, 3	0	0	1	4	0
Kurtz, c	0	1	6	2	0	Childs, 2	0	1	4	4	0
Willis, p	0	0	0	0	0	Iberg, p	0	0	0	1	0
Total	0	6	11	24	11	7	Total	7	7	27	13	1

Boston	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	1—6
Philadelphia	0	4	0	0	2	0	1	0	*—7

Two-base hits—Douglass. Three-base hits—Grossart, Jennings. Stolen bases—Keister, Childs. Left on bases—Boston 8, Philadelphia 4. First base on balls—Off Willis 3, off Iberg 3. Struck out—By Willis 6, by Iberg 2. Umpire—Emslie. Time—1:40.

SECOND GAME.

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philade'a.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Lush, m	0	0	1	1	0	Thomas, m	1	1	0	0	0
Tenney, l	2	1	6	1	0	Barry, r	0	1	2	3	0
Dexter, s	0	1	1	5	0	Hulsew't, s	0	2	1	2	1
Cooley, l	0	0	1	0	0	Jen'gs, 1	1	1	12	0	0
Carney, r	0	0	2	0	0	Keist'r, 2	0	0	2	3	0
Grem'r, 2	0	0	1	4	0	Shea, c	0	0	1	0	0
Long, 2	0	0	4	4	1	Doolin, c	0	1	4	1	0
Moran, c	0	0	2	3	0	Green, 3	0	0	2	3	0
Taylor, p	0	1	0	2	0	Childs, 2	0	0	0	5	0
†McMont	0	0	0	0	0	White, p	1	1	0	2	0
Total	2	4	27	24	11	1	Total	4	8	27	16	1

†Batted for Taylor in ninth inning.

Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0—2
Philadelphia	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	*—4

Two-base hit—Jennings. Three-base hit—Krug. Sacrifice hit—Tenney. Stolen bases—Carney, Krug, Doolin. Double plays—Dexter, Long and Moran; Childs and White; Barry and Jennings; Jennings and Childs; Hulsewitt, Childs and Jennings. Left on bases—Boston 7, Philadelphia 5. First base on balls—Off Pittinger 3, off White 7. Hit by pitched ball—By Pittinger 1. Struck out—By Pittinger 1, by White 3. Umpire—Emslie. Time, 1:55.

MATTY HIT HARD.

Brooklyn Took First Game of Inter-Borough Series.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Brooklyn beat New York in the first game of the interborough series by a score of 7 to 2 on the Polo grounds today. The visitors hit Mathewson freely, but the poor fielding support given him was really the cause of defeat. Newton was lucky, as he began wildly, giving three bases on balls in the first inning. It was not until the close of the game that the local players found him. The score:

N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Browne, l	1	1	1	1	0	Sheck'd, 1	2	2	2	0	0
Bitner'hanr	0	1	1	1	0	Keeler, r	0	1	3	0	0
M'Cann, 1	0	1	8	1	0	Dolan, m	0	2	1	0	0
Brodie, m	0	0	1	0	0	Dahlen, s	1	1	1	5	1
H'w'th'n, c	0	1	6	3	0	Farrell, l	0	1	5	0	0
Lauder, s	0	1	4	3	1	Flood, 2	1	1	1	2	0
Smith, 2	1	1	3	2	1	Irwin, 3	1	1	3	0	0
Dunn, s	0	0	3	4	0	Ritter, c	0	1	5	2	0
M'Ew'n, p	0	0	0	1	0	Newton, p	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	2	6	27	14	3	Totals	7	11	27	6	0

New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—2
Brooklyn	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	—7

Two-base hits—Browne, Lauder. Stolen bases—Smith, Sheckard 2. Left on bases—New York 10, Brooklyn 6. First base on errors—Brooklyn 5. Double plays—Lauder, Smith and McGann; Ritter and Dahlen, Dahlen and Flood. Struck out—By McEwen 1, by Newton 2. Hit by pitched ball—By Newton 1. Bases on balls—Off Mathewson 3, off Newton 8. Time—1:45. Umpire—Latham. Attendance—2,000.

BUNCHED THEIR HITS.

Chicago Managed to Get a Game from the Reds.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Three singles and a double gave the locals three runs in the first inning. Their other runs were made by bunching hits, with bases on balls and errors. Lundgren was wild, but kept the visitors' hits well scattered. Attendance, 200. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cin'nati.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Slagle, l	1	1	2	3	2	0	Donlin, l	1	1	0	1	0	0
Dobbs, ss	1	1	1	2	6	0	Beckley, 1	1	1	11	2	0	0
Chance, 1	1	1	1	8	1	1	Crawf'd, r	1	2	6	0	0	0
Kling, c	0	2	2	6	1	1	Seymour, s	0	0	2	2	1	0
Tinker, 2	1	1	1	4	4	0	Dietz, 2	0	0	2	3	2	2
Sheckard, r	3	0	0	2	0	0	Corcor'n, s	0	0	1	2	3	0
Ely, s	2	0	1	2	5	0	St'inf'dt, 3	0	1	1	4	1	1
Menefee, r	0	0	1	0	0	0	Bergen, c	0	0	4	2	0	0
Lud'gn, p	0	1	0	0	0	0	Telem'r, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
							O'Kelley	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	9	11	27	18	3		Totals	3	9	27	17	3	

†Batted for Telleman in the ninth inning.

Chicago	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0—6
Cincinnati	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0—3

Left on bases—Chicago 7, Cincinnati 8. Two-base hits—Kling, Beckley, Seymour. Sacrifice hits—Crawford, Corcoran, Slagle. Stolen bases—Slagle, Chance, Kling, Shaefer 2, Donlin, Crawford, Beckley. Double plays—Slagle, Shaefer; Tinker, Evers and Chance. Struck out—By Lundgren 5, by Telenan 1. Passed balls—Bergen, Kling. Bases on balls—Off Lundgren 6, off Thielman 3. Time—2:05. Umpire—Brown.

Toledo's New Manager.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 15.—President Strobel today closed a contract with Dr. Frank Reisling to manage the Toledo American association team next season. Reisling is at present manager of the Meriden, Conn., team.

AMONG THE AMATEURS.

The Woodbee Juniors defeated the Greenleaf stars by a score of 10 to 0.

The Young Stars and Strips defeated the Marietta Juniors by a score of 14 to 8.

The T. E. Ashfords will play Cherry A. C. at High Bridge next Sunday. Would also like to have an answer from the Loch A. C.

The Riverside Tigers would like to hear from all 15 and 90-pound teams. Address John Nanz, 705 West Carson street, Pittsburgh.

The Pittsburgh college third team would like to arrange games with all teams in the 90-pound class. Address captain D. C. third team, Pittsburgh college.

The Etna A. C. would like to arrange a game for Wednesday, September 17, with some first-class amateur team. Address J. L. Ward, or call 29 Sharpsburg after 7 p. m.

The Pequot A. C. would like to arrange games with all 75 to 90-pound teams of the city and suburbs. Address George P. Barker, 35 Observatory avenue, Allegheny.

The Emeralds would like to book games with Monessen, New Kensington, East Liverpool, Charleroi, City Club, Greensburg and Port Perry. Address E. M. Donnelly, 706 Carson street, South Side.

The Pleasure A. C. would like to arrange a game with some 75 to 15-pound team for Sunday, September 21. For games address J. Hoffman, 1201 Gerst alley, Allegheny, or call up 'phone 1124 Main, P. A.

The Acorn Juniors would like to submit a game for Saturday and would like to hear from some team about eight, nine or ten years old. The Acorns played 26 games and lost 2. They claim the championship of Pittsburgh and Allegheny.

The Valley Stars would like to hear from any 10 or 17-year-old team for Saturday, September 20. They would like to hear from some team for Sunday, September 21. Address John McSheesey, 29 Kittanning pike, Sharpsburg.

Ericson A. C. would like to hear from some 100-pound team for a game Saturday, September 20. Call at 2 South Negley avenue, Wilkinsburg, and ask for Ericson or address him at 5 Feldman street, East End.

On account of the difficulty to get the grounds to play on Saturday the South Side Athletic club and the Pittsburgh dental mules have dropped the game. For the game on Saturday inquire of Fisher, manager, Pittsburgh dental mules, 3213 Brinton avenue, city.

The A. H. S. Athletic association held a meeting yesterday. Reese was defeated by Grier for manager of the football team by a vote of 97 to 2. Prof. Dugan was re-elected president and Prof. Grier, secretary. Address challenges to M. Grier, care of James E. Morrow, A. H. S. High schools preferred.

John M. Kelly's would like to know how the Wilkinsburg A. A. claim 15 and 14-year-old championships. They defeated them on their own grounds by a score of 12 to 6. They have beat both team, umpire and the people. They would like to know if the game with the Munhall is all right for Saturday, September 20. Address F. J. Tool, Kansas street, Hazelwood.

The Sewickley High school football team has been reorganized and is ready for dates with any 17-year-old team. They have had an unusually successful team for the last three years they have played, and this year's team will be an improvement, if anything, on all previous teams. Robert Stenton has been elected captain and Coleman Starr manager for this year.

Fitzarm athletic club team is having three hard nights practice each week and is rapidly getting in first-class condition. It lines up against any second team in the city for practice. On account of Penn A. C. cancelling Saturday, September 27, is open and would like to hear from some first-class team for that date. Address J. L. Johnsonbaugh, manager, Lincoln, Allegheny.

The Franklin A. C. football team is desirous of playing their first game on Saturday. They indulged in some practice last evening, and as a result the manager would like to play any 135-pound team for a game and will go 50 miles. Their schedule is yet incomplete and would like to fill it as soon as possible. All players are requested to report for practice Wednesday evening at 7:30 sharp. Address Harry Silmeiller, 821 Fifth avenue, city.

The Oakland Reserves Football club has organized for the season and expect to carry off the 80 to 90-pound championship of Western Pennsylvania. All the following players are requested to report for practice evenings at 6 o'clock sharp for practice: W. Currad, J. Hagan, F. Johns, C. Black, A. Wilhelm, K. Bunton, O. Kaufman, H. Groves, T. Engstrom, C. Duffy, W. Dowling, H. Pritchard, F. Campbell, Hulsey, Gilmore and Thomas.

S. S. H. S. held an athletic meeting Friday and organized a football team. U. Swaney, last year's captain, was selected manager and R. Fisher captain. There are 50 candidates for the team. Four old players came back—Reimer, Fisher, Perry and Swaney. There is plenty of new material, but it is light, but S. S. hopes to have a good team in the 80-pound class. Address manager S. S. H. S. football team, corner Tenth and Carson streets, city.

Pittsburgh Reserves were to have opened the season with the Foster A. C. of Lawrenceville Saturday, September 20, but owing to the fact that the Foster A. C. grounds at the game has been postponed indefinitely, and as the Reserves are without a game for Saturday they would like to hear from some good team that has an open date. The following members are requested to report for practice Tuesday evening at 7:30 sharp: Penix, Conlon, Powell, Dunne, Hickey, Gross, Coll, Costello, Anslo, Boreman, Burgin, Gavanaugh, Seamon and Brehm. For games address manager, No. 1812 Penn avenue.

The Swissvale A. C. football club has been hard at practice the last two weeks under Coach Pat Gray, formerly of Geneva college, and is rounding the team into fine shape. The manager expects to have one of the strongest amateur teams on the gridiron this season and will endeavor to hold the record made last season, not losing a game, and was scored on only once. Swissvale opens the season September 27 with the Kopp A. C., also of Swissvale, and will endeavor to win the town championship. The manager would like to hear from Altoona, South Fork, Johnstown, Latrobe, Greensburg, Mt. Pleasant and Rayen High School. Address all communications to L. C. Goettman, box 256, Swissvale, Pa. Swissvale practices every Tuesday and Thursday and will line up against the North Homestead team on North Homestead Saturday, September 20, for a practice game.

THE ATHLETICS DRAWING CLOSE TO THAT FLAG

Put Boston Out of It by Taking Two Well Played Games.

MONSTER CROWD SAW CONTESTS.

Over 16,000 People Watched Mack's Team Win the Double-Header—Rube Waddell Easily Outpitched Cy Young.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Philadelphia	6—Boston	4
Philadelphia	9—Boston	2
Chicago	7—Detroit	3
Chicago	4—Detroit	3
Washington	11—Baltimore	8
Washington	4—Baltimore	4

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pc.		W.	L.	Pc.
Philadelphia	74	50	.597	Cleveland	65	62	.512
St. Louis	70	54	.565	Washington	58	68	.460
Chicago	68	55	.553	Detroit	48	74	.393
Boston	60	59	.504	Baltimore	44	79	.358

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Boston, Sept. 15.—By taking both games today Philadelphia has practically put the home team out of the running for the championship. A tremendous crowd that overflowed into the field saw the two defeats of the Bostons. Ground rules were necessary, but even then the players were badly hampered and delayed. The errors of the visitors were less costly and their hits more timely in the first game, which was closely contested. In the second game Young was batted hard and often and received inferior support. Parent's running catch and the batting of L. Cross were the features of this game, which was cut short by mutual consent. Scores:

FIRST GAME.

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philade'a.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Dough'y, 1	0	0	1	0	0	Hartsel, l	1	1	1	0	0
Parent, s	0	1	0	2	1	Fultz, m	0	2	2	0	1
Stahl, m	1	2	4	2	0	Davis, 1	1	1	12	0	0
Collins, 3	0	0	2	1	0	L. Cross, s	0	1	1	2	0
Fre'n, r	0	2	2	3	0	Seibold, r	0	0	2	0	0
LaCh'e, 1	1	1	11	1	0	Murphy, 2	0	2	4	4	0
Gleason, 2	0	0	1	1	0	M. Cross, s	0	0	3	5	2
Ferris, 2	0	0	1	2	0	Powers, c	0	2	9	0	0
Piatt, c	0	1	4	0	0	Plank, p	0	0	2	0	0
Dineen, p	0	0	0	3	0						
Totals	4	10	27	11	8	Totals	3	6	10	27	14	3

Boston	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0—4
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0—3

Two-base hits—Powers, Plank, Stahl, Collins, LaChance. Stolen bases—Hartsel, L. Cross, Fultz, Murphy, Dineen. Double plays—Gleason and LaChance; Stahl and Collins. First base on balls—Off Dineen 2, off Plank 2. Hit by pitched balls—By Plank, Freeman. Struck out—By Plank 8, by Dineen 2. Umpire—Connolly. Time—2:40.

SECOND GAME.

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philade'a.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Dough'y, 1	0	1	0	0	0	Hartsel, l	1	0	1	0	0
Parent, s	1	2	3	3	0	Fultz, m	1	1	2	0	0
Stahl, m	0	1	1	0	0	Davis, 1	1	2	2	4	0
Collins, 3	0	0	2	1	0	L. Cross, s	1	1	4	1	0
Fre'n, r	0	0	1	0	0	Seibold, r	0	0	1	0	0
LaCh'e, 1	0	0	14	0	2	Murphy, 2	1	2	1	2	0
Ferris, 2	1	1	1	2	0	M. Cross, s	2	1	4	2	1
Criger, c	0	0	3	2	1	Schreck, c	2	2	4	1	0
Young, p	0	0	0	2	1	Waddell, p	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	2	7	24	14	5	Totals	9	13	24	7	1

Boston	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—2
Philadelphia	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	*—9

Two-base hits—Davis, L. Cross, Schreck, Waddell, Parent, Freeman, Criger. Stolen bases—Dougherty, Davis. Double plays—Criger and Parent; Parent, Ferris and LaChance. Firsts base on balls—Off Waddell 2, off Young 1. Struck out—By Waddell 10, by Young 2. Passed ball—Criger. Wild pitch—Waddell. Umpire—Connolly. Time—1:45. Attendance—16,428. Called at end of eighth inning on account of darkness.

TWO FOR CHICAGO.

Detroit's Team Managed to Drop Another Pair of Games.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—The locals won both of today's games. Bunched hits in the third and sixth innings scored all their runs in the first game. Callahan was in good form and had the visitors at his mercy except in the fifth. Durham, a new man, pitched for Chicago in the second game. He would have had but for the excellent support given him. The game was called in the seventh because of darkness. Attendance, 1,100. Scores:

FIRST GAME.

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Strang, 3	2	3	1	2	1	Harley, l	0	0	1	0	0
Jones, m	0	2	2	0	0	Casey, s	0	0	1	1	0
Green, r	0	1	2	0	0	Barrett, m	0	0	2	0	0
Davis, 1	1	0	2	2	1	M'Alist'r, p	0	0	0	3	0
Mertes, l	1	1	0	1	0	M'Allist'r, l	0	0	0	0	0
Daly, 2	0	2	2	2	0	Yeager, r	1	2	5	0	0
Isbell, 1	1	1	8	1	0	Burrell, 1	0	1	8	0	0
M'Fall, c	0	1	4	1	0	Casey, 2	0	0	2	3	1
Callahan, p	1	1	1	3	0	Buelow, c	0	0	2	3	0
						M'Carty, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	7	11	27	12	3	Totals	2	3	24	9	1

Chicago	0	0	2	0	0	5	0	0	*—	7
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0—	2

Left on bases—Chicago, 8; Detroit, 2. Three-base hit—Barrett. Sacrifice hits—Jones, Daly. Double plays—Callahan to Davis to Isbell. Struck out—By Callahan, 3; by McCarthy, 2. First base on balls—Off Callahan, 1; off McCarthy, 5. Wild pitch—McCarthy. Hit with ball—McCarthy, Mertes. Time—1:30. Umpires—Carruthers and Sheridan.

SECOND GAME.

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Strang, 3	0	1	0	2	0	Harley, l	0	0	3	0	0
Jones, m	1	2	1	1	0	Casey, s	0	0	1	1	0
Green, r	0	0	1	5	0	Elb'f'd, s	1	2	1	1	1
Davis, 2	0	0	0	5	0	Barrett, m	0	1	2	0	1
Mertes, l	0	0	0	0	0	M'Alist'r, l	0	2	6	1	0
Daly, 2	0	0	1	4	1	M'Allist'r, p	0	2	0	1	0
Isbell, 1	0	0	10	1	1	O'Con'l, 2	0	0	0	2	0
Sul'van, c	1	0	3	1	0	Buelow, c	0	0	4	1	0
Durham, p	1	1	0	3	0	Mulin, p	0	0	2	2	0
Totals	4	6	27	12	1	Totals	2	8	18	8	2

Chicago	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	*—	4
Detroit	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0—	3

Left on bases—Chicago, 5; Detroit, 8. Two-base hit—Green. Three-base hit—Mullin. Sacrifice hit—O'Connell. Barrett. Stolen bases—Strang, Jones, Sullivan. Struck out—By Durham, 4; by Mullin, 3. Bases on balls—Off Durham, 4; off Mullin, 3. Time—1:30. Umpires—Sheridan and Carruthers.

ONLY LOST ONE GAME.

Darkness Saved Baltimore from a Second Defeat.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 15.—The Washington American league team won the first game of their double header with Baltimore today in the tenth inning. Darkness closed the second contest in the fifth inning, with the score a tie. Scores:

FIRST GAME.

Baltim'e.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Wash'ton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
M'Fr'd, m	1	1	3	0	0	Doyle, 2	1	2	2	3	0
Selbach, l	2	3	4	2	0	Ryan, m	1	1	1	0	0
Howell, 2	2	2	3	3	0	Celeb'y, 1	1	2	1	0	0
Wood, r	1	2	1	0	0	Keister, r	1	2	4	0	0
Arndt, r	0	1	1	5	0	Coug'n, s	0	3	3	5	1
Mathison, 3	0	2	0	1	0	Carey, l	0	3	11	1	0
Gilbert, s	0	1	4	0	0	Ely, s	1	1	3	4	0
Robson, c	0	2	1	1	0	Drill, c	0	0	5	0	2
Supple, p	0	0	1	1	0	Orth, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	8	14	30	14	2	Totals	5	11	16	30	12	1

Baltimore	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	3	0—8
Washington	0	0	1	0	1	4	0	2	0	0	3—11

Sacrifice hit—Orth. Two-base hits—Howell, p. Jones 2. Keister, Carey. McFarland. Three-base hits—Selbach, Defehanty. Home runs—Coughlin, Howell. Double plays—Doyle, Ely and Carey; Coughlin and Carey; Mathison, Howell and Jones. First base on balls—By Whitse, 1. Hit by pitched ball—By White, 1; by Orth, 1. Struck out—By Orth, 2. Passed balls—Robinson 1, Drill 1. Left on bases—Baltimore, 5; Washington, 8. Time—1:45. Umpire—Johnstone.

SECOND GAME.

Baltim'e.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Wash'ton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
M'Fr'd, m	0	1	3	0	0	Doyle, 2	0	0	1	2	0
Selbach, l	0	0	1	0	0	Ryan, m	0	1	2	0	0
Howell, 2	1	1	3	0	0	Deleh'y, 1	1	1	2	2	0
T. Jones, l	1	2	2	5	0	Keister, r	2	1	0	0	1
Arndt, r	0	0	1	0	0	Coug'n, s	0	1	1	2	0
Don'ue, m	2	1	2	2	0	McDon'd, 1	0	0	8	0	1
Sauers, r	0	0	0	0	0	Snook, c	0	2	5	4	1
Wa'n, l-p	1	2	2	0	0	Gr'd, p-3	1	1	2	1	0
Boyle, c	0	1	7	0	2	Higgins, 1	0	2	1	1	0
McCr'y, p	0	2	0	0

GRAND CIRCUIT GOT GOOD START ON EMPIRE TRACK

Dan R. Won Bronx Stake and Showed Some Great Speed.

OZANAM AGAIN SHOWS HER WORTH.

Took the 2:11 Trot from a Large Field—Fred S. Wedgewood Went Fast Mile to Wagon. Alice Barnes Won Easily.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Sept. 15.—The inaugural meeting of the Empire City Trotting club began today at its fine track under favorable circumstances. The weather was perfect and the track fast.

The best feature of the day was the Bronx stake of $5,000 for the 2:09 pace, for which Dan R. was the choice in the pools at 100 to 30 for the field. Twinkle had the pole and at once led off and at the half led by two lengths, with Prince Direct second, while the favorite, who broke at the quarter, was simply driven to save his distance. Twinkle won easily, with Prince Direct second, a length back.

The betting was now 100 to 50 on Dan R, and again Twinkle led off to the half, where the favorite came up with a rush, and led around the turn, and in a hot finish home won by a length, with Twinkle second. In the third heat Dan R broke badly and looked as if he was out of it, but he gradually crept up on his field and in a most electric rush down the home stretch he beat out Prince Direct by half a length. He won the final heat with quite a little to spare.

Anzella Beaten.

For the New York 2:11 trot, the California mare, Anzella, who has won all her races this season, was a hot choice at 50 to 10 and the talent had a heavy fall.

The black mare Ozanam had the pole and with the word cut out the work for the party, leading all the way around, with Hawthorne second and the favorite in third position. This result changed the betting, which was now 50 to 5 on Anzella, who on her good behavior trotted around her field and led at the half and though pressed by Antinella and Idolita, came away in the stretch and won by two lengths. Anzella was unsteady in the third heat, but was in the lead at the head of the stretch when Ozanam came with a great burst of speed and to a close finish won by a neck. The favorite was now tired out and broke repeatedly. Ozanam winning the fourth heat and the race.

Six horses met in the 2:24 trot and The Questor sold for 50 to 20 for the field. Daisy Direct led the field a lively chase to the three-quarter pole, when Geers, with the favorite, made his drive and got on even terms and the pair came around the top turn and into the home stretch like a team. Here Borealzella joined the leaders and in a red-hot race home The Questor just won, with Borealzella second a length in front of Daisy Direct. He won the next heat with a little to spare. Hoover beat him easily in the third by two lengths. The betting was now even, but the favorite won the deciding heat handily.

The 2:08 special for pacers to wagon was changed to a trial against time and the speedy roan gelding, Fred S. Wedgewood, driven by C. K. G. Billings, went a rapid mile in 2:06¾.

Alice Barnes Was There.

In the 2:11 trotting class to wagon Alice Barnes won in straight heats with quite a little to spare.

The program tomorrow includes the $5,000 Empire stake for the 2:20 pacers, the 2:15 pace, and Dan Patch, 1:55¾, to go against the world's pacing record. As the horse is in perfect condition and the track is very fast he is expected to make a winning performance.

2:20 class, trotting, the New York, purse $3,000; 3 in 5.

Ozanam, b. m., by Antrim-Hazel			
Kirk, by Alwood (Sanders)	1	4	1 1
Hawthorne, m. m. (Hudson)	2	1	2 2
Antinella, b. m. (Geers)	4	2	3 3
Idolita, b. h. (Tozier)	3	3	5 r.o.

Time—2:10¼, 2:12, 2:09¾, 2:13¾.

2:09 class, pacing, the Bronx, purse $5,000; 3 in 5.

Dan R., ch. g., by Todd, Jr., dam by Col. Hunt (Geers)	1	1	1
Twinkle, b. m., by Mowery-Dam	2	2	2
My Task Hall (Hudson)	1	2	5 2
Prince Direct, blk. s., by Direct	2	3	2 r.o.
Sphinx 2., ch. g. (Spear)	4	5	3 r.o.
Onoto, b. m. (A. McDonald)	3	6	6 r.o.
Lou Vaughan, b. m. (Foote)	5	4	4 r.o.

Time—2:09¾, 2:09¼, 2:09¼, 2:11¾.

2:24 class, trotting, purse $1,000; 3 in 5.

The Questor, br. g., by Manbrino King, dam by Sherman (Geers)	1	1	1
Hoover, b. h., by Allerton-Flora McGregor, by Robert McGregor (Shelby)	2	4	3 r.o.
Borealzella, br. m. (Benyon)	2	4	3 r.o.
Daisy Direct, br. m. (McCoy)	5	3	4 r.o.
Daisy Dillon, b. m. (C. K. G. Billings)	3	2	5 r.o.
Ed Gay, b. g. (Fleming)	6	6	6 r.o.

Time—2:15, 2:15¼, 2:18¾, 2:15¾.

Special—Fred S. Wedgewood, to beat 2:06¾, for wagon. Time—2:06¼.

Special—2:11 class, trotting, amateurs to wagon, prize, silver cup.

Alice Barnes, b. m., (E. F. Smathers)	1	1	
Frederick, b. h. (C. K. G. Billings)	2	2	
Mabel Onward, b. m. (F. G. Jones)	3	3	
Lady Geraldine, b. m. (F. L. Drush)	4	4	

Time—2:11¾, 2:14¾.

WON BY CADILLAC.

Finished First in Detroit Sweepstake Race.

DETROIT, MICH., Sept. 15.—The annual sweepstakes race of the Detroit Yacht club, now regarded as the biggest event of the fresh water sailing season, had fine weather for its fifth renewal today. Cadillac, the Hanley yacht, which sailed against Invader in the Canadas cup races at Chicago a year ago, crossed the line first today at the finish, with Detroit, which was also at Chicago for the trials a year ago, second, and Minerva third. Cadillac is the only boat that has been twice a winner of the sweepstakes, and one more victory will give the Hotel St. Claire cup to the Detroit Boat club syndicate, which owns her. There were 15 entries today.

YANKEE BOXER BEATEN.

Eddie Connoly Defeated in London by Tom Woodley.

LONDON, Sept. 15.—Eddie Connolly, American, was defeated here tonight by Tom Woodley, English, after 11 rounds of hard fighting for a purse of $2,000 and the 144 pounds championship.

From the beginning of the bout the American forced the fighting and rushed his opponent. Until the sixth round Connolly appeared to be a sure winner, but in that round the Englishman nearly succeeded in knocking the American out. After this round and for the rest of the fight Woodley took the lead and won easily. The bout was one of the fiercest ever seen in the Wonderland club.

Tax Collector Enjoined.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Judge Dunn today issued an injunction restraining the collection of the taxes for 1901, amounting to over $26,000, on the Masonic Temple. Charges have been made that a gang of tax fixers forged the receipt held by the association with a view to defrauding the county of taxes.

JUNIOR CHAMPION STAKES TO ACEFUL

WAS HOT FAVORITE AND AN EASY WINNER.

Whitney-Duryea Entry Simply Galloped Away With the Race. Hermes Broke Record.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—The Whitney and Duryea entry, Aceful, with H. Cochran, in the saddle, was the winner in the rich Junior champion stake at Gravesend today. He was a hot favorite, closing at 11 to 20, and simply galloped away in front, winning very easily by two lengths, with Lord of the Vale a safe second by two lengths. Blue Ribbon was third, one-half a length in front of Clarion.

L. H. Bell's Hermis won the first special and also lowered the record for this race by covering the distance, 1¼ miles, in 2:06 1-5. The Hermence colt was the favorite, and after running Blues into submission in the first six furlongs, came on and won by one length from the western crack, Articulate, who in turn beat Gunfire the same distance. Advance Guard was fourth, a head away.

Western Horse a Winner.

Jim Clark, fresh from the west, won the last race at a mile and a sixteenth. The weather was cool and the attendance very light. Summaries:

First race, for all ages, high weight handicap, about 6 furlongs—Young Henry, 120, Lansdy, 7 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Arsenal, 128, O'Connor, 7 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; The Black Sept, 110, Brennan, 40 to 1 and 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:10 4-5. Bluff, Honolulu, Col. Padden and Jack Ratliff also ran.

Second race, steeplechase handicap, about 2 miles and a half—Glengar, 139, Mara, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, won; Addisamo, 142, Barry, 2 to 1 and 6 to 5, second; Nip, 140, Heifer, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, third. Time, 4:51 2-5. Draughtsman, Silent Friend, Collegian, *Victor and *Yoboloa also ran.

*Victor and Yoboloa fell.

Third race, the Junior champion stake of $15,000, for 2-year-olds, about 6 furlongs—Aceful, 110, Cochran, 11 to 20 and out, won; Lord of the Vale, 110, Bullman, 5 to 1 and 6 to 5, second; Blue Ribbon, 110, Odom, 5 to 1 and 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:09 2-5. Clarion, Durazzo, *Love Note, Merry Acrobat and *Fleeing Venus also ran.

*Love Note and Fleeing Venus coupled.

Fourth race, the first special for 3-year-olds and up, 1¼ miles—Hermis, 117, Odom, 2 to 1 and even, won; Articulate, 126, Lyne, 12 to 1 and 5 to 1, second; Gunfire, 114, Cochran, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, third. Time, 2:06 1-5. Advance Guard, Sombrero and Blues also ran.

Fifth race, for 2-year-olds, selling, 5½ furlongs—Eva Russell, 108, Bullman, 7 to 1 and 3 to 1, won; Right and True, 102, J. Martin, 10 to 1 and 3 to 1, second; Captivator, 103, Rice, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:08. Rentucky Rose, Sinner Simon, Tioga, Hackensack, Turnpike, Ringdove, Franklyn C., Dinkate, Bride Card, Burning Glass and First Chip also ran.

Sixth race, for 3-year-olds and up, selling, 1 mile and a sixteenth—Jim Clark, 111, Landry, 4 to 1 and 6 to 5, won; Clonmell, 110, Bullman, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Brunswick, 98, L. Smith, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:47 3-5. De Rezke, Bar le Duc, Pearl Finder, Satire and Trump also ran.

The Entries for Tommorrow.

First race, handicap, 5½ furlongs—River Pirate, 124; Bensonhurst, 116; Toscan, Shot Gun, 114; Monte Carlo, 112; Muzio, 111; Kiss, Days O'Lashkar, 108.

Second race, 1 mile and a sixteenth—Douro, 117, Bonnibert, 120; Mackey Dwyer, 100; Intervention, 97.

Third race, 5½ furlongs—Salora Joia, Pride of Galore, Miladi Love, Marion Etra, Snowdrift, Lady of Watling, Anne Hathaway, Geisha Girl, Pearl Diver, Julia Arthur, Intermal, Sophrite, Wading Light, Erora, Iconoclast, Credulity, 110.

Fourth race, handicap, 1 mile and furlong—Herbert, 122; Douro, 108; Francesco, 107; His Eminence, 106; Rockwater, 100; Slipthrift, 98; Daisy Pet, 87; Elmer, 87.

Fifth race, selling, 1 mile and 70 yards—Dr. Riddle, 108; Conundrum, 105; Rockey Remorse, 102; Benu Howard, 100; St. Vendore, 98.

Sixth race, about 6 furlongs—Twilighter, Emshee, Schoharie, Col. Rider, 112; The Talisman, Gregory, Aminte, Fontenix, White Crest, The Moon, Margaret Hoffman, Silver Plush, Destitute, Eva Milne, Mrs. Ana, the Dancer, 109.

Seventh race, about 6 furlongs—Chief, 112, Outsider, Annie Grace, Chiron, Chorus Girl, Miss Alice, Captain R., Ben Cott, Phoebe F., Nightingale, Broadbent, Pamphlet, Filleser, Andalusian, Valley Forge, Worry, 109.

HAWTHORNE HANDICAP.

It Was Won by Sidney C. Love After a Long, Hard Drive.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Sidney C. Love, in a long hard drive won the Hawthorne handicap this afternoon at Hawthorne by a nose from McGee, Stemwinder finishing in third place, three lengths back. Although the winner picked up 120 pounds, an impost which was responsible for the liberal odds of 8 to 1 laid against him, he ran the six furlongs in 1:14, coming with a great burst of speed at the end. The Picket, favorite for the race, was never a factor in the race, finishing a very bad last in the field of eight. Track fast, weather cool. Summary:

First race, six furlongs—Golden Rule, 104, Buchanan, 16 to 5, won; St. Cuthbert, 113, Winkfield, 6 to 1, second; Elsie L., 108, T. Dean, 11 to 2, third. Time, 1:13¾. Pretorius, Tubua, Tea Rose III., Georgie and Sim W. also ran.

Second race, four and one-half furlongs—Belle Graham, 105, Buchanan, 5 to 1, won; Lyman Hay, 111, Mathews, 4 to 5, second; Mary Glenn, 105, Henry, 20 to 1, third. Time, :55¼. Frank Rice, Foxy Kane, Pennant, Capt. Hugh Bradley, O'er Land and Sea, Prince of Endurance and Our Cora also ran.

Third race, seven furlongs—Stemwinder Crest, 136, C. Wilson, 16 to 5, won; Dr. Newlin, 140, McAuliffe, 11 to 5, second; Jennie Day, 120, Zeno, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:27 2-5. Harve B. Bell, Mizzo and Capt. Conover also ran.

Fourth race, the Hawthorne handicap, six furlongs—Sidney C. Love, 120, R. Williams, 8 to 1, won; McGee, 100, Winkfield, 6 to 1, second; Stemwinder, 115, Doublick, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:14. Early Gold Bell, Bad News, Watkins, Overton and The Picket also ran.

Fifth race, one mile—Vulcain, 108, Winkfield, 6 to 5, won; Bragg, 102, Boar, 7 to 1, second; Stormwinder, 115, Doublick, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:43. Early Gold Bell, Bad News, Watkins, Overton and The Picket also ran.

Sixth race, one and one-fourth miles—Ultrude, 96, Adkins, 5 to 2, won; Compass, 106, Donnelly, 10 to 1, second; Edfra, 106, Matthews, 8 to 1, third. Time, 2:07¾. Ravensbury, Hayward Hunter and Western Duke also ran.

Handicap entries for tomorrow:

First race, six furlongs—Archie, Serpent, Balm of Gilead, I. Samelson, Red Tip, 112; Rose of May, Evening Star, Lute, Peneta, Magic, 109; Temper, Filiform, Hopefield, 107; Mosie Hunter, One Thing, 105.

Second race, four and one-half furlongs, selling—Queen Bess, 102; Galba, Senor, 100; Maxsette, Glen Rice, Jackful, Tabellarius, Hide and Seek, Sprickle, Vestia, Zephe, Gayl, Two Shoes, Smyrna, 97; Rankin, 95; Little Sunny, 92.

Third race, one mile and 70 yards, selling—Cougar, 110, Mary Moore, George Arthur, 107; Hathaway, 105; Royal Penny, 103; Fairbury, Leo Newell, 102; Jack Doyle, Papa Harry, Rabunia, Light Ball, 100; Ida V., 98; Fern, Lady Meddlesome, Russellton, 95.

Fourth race, handicap, one and one-eighth miles—Lucien Appleby, 111; Flying Torpedo, 110; Nitrate, 102; Marcue, 92.

Fifth race, one mile—Ed Adack, Teah, 109; Dr. Stephens, Rolling Boer, 106.

Sixth race, one mile, selling—Commodore Dewey, Mr. Phinizy, 115; Essence, Geyser, Limelight, Tatar, Constellator, 112; Ander, 110; Wing Dance, Eva Rice, 107; Candidate, Gra. Sly, Three, 1065 Leviathan, Cork, 102; Declaimer, 99. Cloudy, fast.

GREAT CROWD SAW GAME.

20,000 People Witnessed Defeat of Brandywine.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Sept. 15.—The baseball game here today on the American league ball grounds between the Wilmington (Del.) Athletic association and the Brandywine club of West Chester, Pa., was witnessed by nearly 20,000 people. The game was hotly contested from beginning to end with brilliant fielding on both sides and was a thoroughly enjoyable one for the big crowd of spectators. The spacious grandstand and bleacher seats of American League park were crowded, and the overflow on the ground back of the fielders made a ground rule for two-base hits necessary. The game was for $300 a side and the winning club to take all the gate receipts. Wilmington won the game by reason of better work in the field by a score of 2 to 1. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Brandywine	0	7	2
Wilmington	1	5	1

Batteries—Taylor, Stevenson and Sommers; Hardy and Barton. Umpires—Hardy Henderson and Arthur Irwin.

Vanderbilt's Marigold Won.

PARIS, Sept. 15.—W. K. Vanderbilt's Marigold won the Criterium stakes at the St. Cloud races today.

A PICKWICKIAN MUSICAL PLAY AT THE ALVIN

DeWolf Hopper Proves a Wonder in New Line of Work.

IMMENSELY FUNNY FARCE AT THE GRAND.

Melodrama of Startling Character at the Bijou and a Pathetic Play at the Empire—Good Burlesque at the Academy.

Alvin—"Mr. Pickwick."

Mr. Pickwick	De Wolf Hopper
Sam Weller	Digby Bell
Tony Weller	Henry Norman
Alfred Jingle	Grant Stewart
Winkle	Louis Payne
Snodgrass	George Chapman
Tupman	Augustus Colcete
Fat Boy	Guy H. Bartlett
Col. Bulder	George Rolland
Dr. Slammer	Philip Connor
Mr. Wardle	J. K. Adams
Arabella	Louise Gunning
Mrs. Bardell	Laura Joyce Bell
Polly	Marguerite Clark
Emma Wardle	Grace Fisher
Miss Tomphins	Mary Dunn
Liza	Alice Maude Poole
Sally	Marion Lee
Sue	Ruth Halbert

Mr. Pickwick, if it were possible for that famous gentleman to come to life, would feel somewhat aggrieved at the treatment that has been accorded him by Messrs. Charles and Manuel Klein and DeWolf Hopper, with Mr. Hopper as the chief cause of his displeasure. The new musical play provided for Hopper by the Messrs. Klein is full of bright, pleasing entertainment, has music by Mr. Manuel Klein that is sprightly of verse, thoroughly original, and is full of dainty lyrics by Grant Stewart, but all the same we are sure it would cause serious offense to the dignified Mr. Pickwick were he permitted to sit through its two acts. In the first place Pickwick would object to DeWolf as his representative and would doubtless be sternly backed in this objection by his (Pickwick's) creator. It was a foregone conclusion that Pickwick was infinitely beyond the limits of Mr. Hopper's peculiar genius for being funny. Even in the most Pickwickian sense it would be straining a point to affirm that Hopper could be Pickwick. To tell the truth we do not believe he tries and this fact is the redeeming feature of his work, but why mistreat poor Pickwick by using his name in vain. The play is a singular mixture of excellence and weakness. Its dainty music, two or three real Dickens people, its preparation and its fine aroma of the Dickens humor in spots and places and its beautiful stage settings all contribute to make a good impression upon the beholder from the start. Add to these the fact that Mr. Hopper is surrounded by a company of unusual strength and that each member of it strives with all his might and main to give the play vim and movement, and you have a result as a whole that cannot fail to be pleasing. On the score of weakness we have Hopper in a caricature that hardly fits his peculiar and nimble-footed wit. Mr. Pickwick was a fat, heavy, lethargic old sinner.

Mr. Hopper endeavors to fit into the picture first by a make up that is simply grotesque. When he dawned first upon the audience last evening as he emerged from the famous coach at the famous "Dingley Arms," there was a roar of laughter from the audience that shook from even the most sanguine believer in the birth of a new series of Dickens stage pictures his last hope. The mirth was provoked by the caricature. With stuffed waistband and trousers De Wolf looked like an immensely overfed truffled turkey. Another weakness is the indefiniteness with which the Dickens thread is worked into the book and the attempted farce embellishments there of, as we have said, plenty of fun and an abundance of mirth and music. When the book has had a judicious application of the pruning knife and either Mr. Pickwick or Mr. Hopper, one or the other gives up the struggle for supremacy in the title role we can imagine the new play as a successful hit, bringing shekels to its managers and fame to its composers and producers.

Prime among the good things of the piece are the deftly lyrics that intertwine themselves like threads of silver. There are none of them strikingly original, but are all tuneful. There are also one or two duets that sparkle with that tilting glow that goes to make light music, sung to the accompaniment of merry dancing, so charming. Of the people besides Mr. Hopper Grant Stewart as Alfred Jingle does a real Dickensesque piece of work. This clever actor catches the true spirit of the Pickwick group that has been immortalized by the great English novelist. This part also falls to Digby Bell as Sam Weller and in a less degree of Henry Norman's Tony Weller. In both instances the cockney was a little overdrawn, but Bell's "Samivel," who was cautioned to beware of the widders, was charmingly humorous and spirited. Little Marguerite Clark, a small soubrette, made an immense hit as Polly. Her songs and dances were the embodiment of graceful feminity. She is only a mite of a girl, but is a pretty flower in this old Pickwick gathering. Miss Louise Gunning as Arabella sang a number of dainty songs in a thoroughly "dainty voice." The "Birth of the Rainbow" and a pretty little slumber song caught the fancy of the audience and deserved the applause they received. Indeed the entire supporting company is excellent and ought to give Mr. Hopper's starring tour a success that perhaps the "musical play" would hardly deserve otherwise.

The Alvin was crowded to the doors, the magnet of Hopper's name being sufficient to draw out all the first-nighters. Their favorite was given a cordial reception and at the end the curtain was forced to make a speech, which being Hopperesque was of course funny, and received a round of applause. The chorus is a thoroughly good one, but not large. "Mr. Pickwick" is called a musical play. It is really the nearest approach to a comic opera of the farcical kind we have had for some time.

Grand—"Stranger in a Strange Land."

Jack Thorndyke	William Ingersoll
Dr. John Boller	Robert Elliot
Mr. Charles Dudley	Wilton Taylor
Ta-Mo Nee, an American chief	Charles Abbe
Arthur Lowe	Mace Greenleaf
Hartlington of Scotland yard	Lawrence Underwood
Watson	James Cooper
Jenkins	Joseph Wighaman
Alice Wellington, an American girl	Edna Taylor
Hon. Mrs. Barton	Alice Gale
May Holcombe	Anna Buckley
Grace Thorndyke	Minna Phillips

It is not at all surprising that the Vincent and Wilmer farce, "A Stranger in a Strange Land," was so popular during its New York run and later on the road. It is an immensely funny medley of nonsense and the stock company at the Grand this week is giving it an interpretation quite as jolly and effective as any it has ever had. The story is on the order of Charles Dickson's famous farce "Incog," only the mixed identity in this instance has to do with a real and two bogus Indians. Jack Thorndyke, a young Englishman who has been going the pace in America, concocts a story to conceal his real career to the effect that he has been in an Indian massacre. His uncle, who is in the plot, writes to Jack to bring a live Indian with him to England. The letter does not reach Jack before he sails so he arrives in England minus the Indian. When told what was expected of him he declares his sister's lover, a young Englishman, to disguise himself as an Indian. Later, his uncle, who knows nothing of all this, borrows a real specimen of the noble redman from an American medical fakir who is touring England. The attendant disappearance of the young Englishman who is playing Indian brings a Scotland Yard detective upon the scene and he, too, for some reason, conceives the idea of masquerading as an Indian, so that there are three supposed Indians in the house and each group of plotters is led to believe that each Indian represents only the one to whose presence they have been a party.

The fun commences with the rise of the curtain and bubbles continuously through its parts. Aside as the genuine Indian does an amusingly clever piece of work in a make-up that is well-nigh perfect. Mr. Ingersoll, as Jack Thorndyke, is thoroughly in his element and plays the role with great skill. His facility for lying is assumed with so much cleverness, that there is never a break in the hilarious and ridiculous jumble of situations. Miss Taylor is never a prettier and prettier as Alice Wellington, the American girl, and wears some stunningly handsome gowns. Wilton Taylor won new laurels in the role of Jack's uncle, who is responsible for the general mixup. Mace Greenleaf plays one of the bogus Indians with a little realism, while Lawrence Underwood does the detective-Indian with spirit. Miss Alice Gale as the aunt is excellent, and the same may be said of Misses Buckley and Phillips, while James Cooper's Watson is very fine piece of humor. Robert Elliot plays the American medicine vender in fine style, reminding one of Burr McIntosh's famous role in "Too Much Johnson." Viewed from every standpoint, "A Stranger in a Strange Land" is one of the merriest farces seen on the local stage for many a day.

Bijou—"King of Detectives."

James Pierce	E. L. Snader
Sammy Sidwinski	E. L. Walton
George Winters	W. F. Canfield
Hommy Baxter	Ogden Wright
Tommy Ruff	Walter Stone
Limpy Henaesay	Harry Byrnes
Judge Drummond	Harry Barker
George Strassman	H. S. Wahhan
Phillip Barnard	W. A. Cavenagh
Phillip Barnard	W. Iles
James Duffy	Howard Stone
Roger Dolan	Charles Henley
Reginald Goodlieb	Will J. Sharp
Mildred Woodruff	Amanda Wallington
Olga Humphreys	Miss Anna Fairchild
Betsy Booth	Madeline Lack
Mrs. Pierce	Miss Mary Walters
Bridget O'Hara	Miss Tessie Lawrence
Sister Mary	Miss Mildred Stevens

The "King of Detectives," a new melodrama, which opened last night at the Bijou, invades a new field in its introduction of airships, from which the king rescues the heroine of the play as she hangs suspended from the holy cross of a cathedral, which she clutched as she was thrown from another air ship by the villian, who plotted with an adventuress to get her brother's fortune by accusing her of his murder. The mutescope used by a photographer to get the picture of the new airship took in the crime, and as a silent witness was introduced in court by the king of detectives at the last minute, showing every detail of the murder as it was committed, and the accidental finding of the body by the innocent sister.

The play is filled with new features in the melodramatic line. The wake in which the detective acts the part of a dead man is a novelty and gives E. L. Snader, as James Pierce, the king of detectives, and Ogden Wright, as Tommy Baxter, chance to display their art. The company is one of the best of its kind on the road this season. Mr. Wright is a star in his own way and Madeline Lack is a vivacious soubrette, whose characterizations are excellent. Miss Amanda Wallington makes a pretty and innocent victim of the terrible plot around which the play is written. Miss Tessie Lawrence shows considerable ability in the character of a drunken hag. Miss Annie Fairchild and W. F. Canfield, the plotters, merited the hisses of the gallery, indicating their standing as leading characters in the show deserves success and will no doubt play to crowded houses all week. The court room in the last scene could be improved and a few pointers about conducting a trial would not be amiss. The vaudeville features were good and some novel songs were introduced that will become favorites.

Empire—"A Mother's Heart."

Helen Ament	Marie Warren
Rose Foster	Lillian Rhodes
Jennie Harris	Lillie Alyn
Harry Bellinger	Harry Walters
Mrs. Billings	Betsy Barlow
Sarah Ann	Rose Leddy
Dhoys	Beatrice Abbey
Horace Beswick	Frederick Paulding
Richard Scott	Richard G. Gardner
Walter	J. Angus Gustam
Barney Reynolds	Harry Charlton
Danny Clancy	James Godwin
Father Matthews	Walter Galer
Markland Arcent	Frank Armstrong
St. Stephens Choir	Charles R. Booth, Charles McCullough, Joseph Conners, James Rowland

A stage picture with pathos and humor delightfully mingled is the comedy drama, "A Mother's Heart," by John Arthur Frazer, which is being presented this week at the Empire theater. The plot of the play is well developed and holds the attention of the audience with intense interest. Every seat in the pretty theater was filled last night and the work of the actors was well received. The company is one of the best that has held the boards at the Empire this season. The title of the play tells its story. The theme is an old one but a mother's love never loses its heart interest and the trials of "Helen Ament's" loving care of her tender charges brought tears to many eyes through the fine emotional acting of Miss Marie Warren, who interprets the part of the persecuted mother. A clever comedian is James Goodwin, who is cast in the part of "Danny Clancy," the comical Irish servant.

Academy—Bryant's Burlesquers.

The largest first night crowd of the season packed the Academy last night at the opening performance of Harry Bryant's Burlesquers. The burlesques and most of his supporting company are new while the costumes and scenic settings are of unusual richness. Ferguson and Watson head the olio with a comedy talk. Watson has everything when it comes to keeping the house in an uproar. The Craigs in a musical act pleased the audience and were encored. Misses Beach and Murray have a sketch portraying a racket in a burlesque dressing room which is highly amusing. Van Leer and Duke appear in a comedy skit which is as funny as they come. Lawson and Namon in a comedy cycling and tag punching act got applause and laughter all through their act. The Kitamura troupe of Japanese foot the olio with a series of feats of a hair raising nature. The burlesques are called "His Honor the Mayor" and "The Hobo Baron" in which the funny efforts of Mat Kennedy is the bright feature. Bryant who is the drawing card appears only in the short closing burlesque which is disappointing to the patrons who would like to see more of him.

WORK STARTED AT CULLOMS RIFFLE

Drill Boat Making Tests to Find Suitable Location for the New Dam.

The first work on the projected lock and dam to be built at Cullom riffle on the Ohio river, a short distance below Cincinnati, will be commenced this week. George W. Isenhower of Covington, Ky., has the contract to drill at a number of places in the bed of the river in the vicinity of where the dam has been located, in order to find a good foundation for the structure. He has sent drill boats to the place and they will begin operations in a few days.

It will take two or three months to finish the job. Congress has appropriated $100,000 to begin the work of construction and has made provision to continue it under the contract system, making appropriations as the money is needed. The dam is not to cost the government more than $1,050,000, which is about the cost of the Davis island dam. The one at Cullom riffle will not be any longer, but the chanoine dam will be much wider on account of the width of the river.

The Cullom riffle dam is the only one between Parkersburg and Cairo for which provision has been made, but the next congress is expected to provide for others.

THE THREE RIVERS.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, Sept. 15.—River at 6 p. m. 4.2 feet and falling. Clear and cool. Packets in and out on time. Capt. Charles Barnes, the constructor of marine machinery, has returned after a long vacation in Canada. The trial trip of the Kanawha was put off today until an indefinite date. The repairs on the M. F. Wells will be completed tomorrow. She will re-enter the Cumo trade.

LOUISVILLE—River on a stand; canal, 2.7 feet; falls, 7 inches; foot of locks, 3.6 feet. Business active. Clear and pleasant. Packets in and out on time. A temporary dam is going to be built at the Falls of Indiana to run the falls. This will make a rise of from 12 to 16 inches as far up as Carrollton, but will cut off the water below the falls for a while.

HUNTINGTON—River 4.1 feet and rising. Local boats on time.

WHEELING—River 2 feet and stationary. Cool.

BROWNSVILLE—River 5 feet 3 inches and stationary. Cloudy.

GREENSBORO—River 4 feet 2 inches and stationary. Fair and warmer. Gertrude and Woodward down Tuesday; Elizabeth and Cherry up.

STEUBENVILLE—River 1 foot 9 inches and stationary. Clear and warm.

WARREN—River at low water mark. Clear and cool.

OIL CITY—River 4 inches and falling. Clear and warm.

MORGANTOWN—River 7 feet 4 inches and falling. Clear and cool.

PARKERSBURG—River 2.5 feet and stationary. Clear and cool. No boats. The Excel has taken the government barges used in drilling for a site for dam No. 19 to Pittsburgh. The Ben Hur is on the docks.

POINT PLEASANT—River 1 foot 7 inches and falling. Cloudy. Up. Venus.

GALLIPOLIS—River 3 feet and stationary. Clear and cool.

Arrivals.

Gertrude, Hendrickson, Morgantown.

Departures.

Gertrude, Morgantown, W. Va.

Packets Leaving Today.

Elizabeth, Morgantown, 3 p. m.

News of the Rivers.

Daniel J. Dougherty, the steel inspector, who has been away on a week's leave of absence, returned yesterday from New York.

Rivermen say that when a good-sized catfish in the upper Ohio river sees a steamwheel boat coming it closes its eyes until the dust blows away.

Capt. W. C. Jutte, who has been touring Europe for several months, hails from Liverpool tomorrow for home, much improved in health.

A deckhand fell overboard from the Morgantown wharfboat yesterday afternoon and was drowned in the river before he drowned. He had a narrow escape.

Capt. Robert Demain says the heavy fogs of the past week are drying up the Monongahela river, the water being very scant in the forenoon and south parts of the river.

Capt. James Gilmore, who was in Cleveland for a week, has returned to Pittsburgh, and yesterday took command of the Clifton. While he was away Capt. Frank Wilkins had charge of the boat.

The large lock at lock No. 1 will be closed for several days, owing to repairs being made on the guide walls. The little lock is still in operation and it keeps the employes busy getting craft through.

American is the name of a fine little steamwheeler just completed at New Decatur, on the upper Tennessee, for the American Oak Tanning Company. It has 20 staterooms and is equipped for towing purposes.

National President George Uhler, of the Marine Engineers' Beneficial association, was in Chicago last week, but will leave there for a trip on the western and southern rivers in the interest of marine engineers.

The James Rees & Sons' Company will build the new Monongahela river snagboat for the government, although Capt. E. J. Howard was the lowest bidder. The Rees interests can furnish the boat four months sooner than the Jeffersonville concern.

The new steamer Columbia was to have made a trial trip yesterday afternoon to Davis Island dam, but she was not ready. It is announced that the boat will leave today on her first trip to Morgantown with a number of guests of the company which owns her.

Among those who will make a low water trip down the Ohio are: Capts. F. W. Bell, Frank Gilmore, C. B. Foreman, G. A. Freeman, Rush Burnside, Thomas T. Dunlevy and Edwin V. Fowler. Others will also join the party when the time comes for making the start.

Ten persons have called upon Marine Surgeon Dr. F. W. Meade since last Saturday offering him sites for the proposed marine hospital. Dr. Meade has forwarded notice for all persons to the treasury department at Washington. During the past six days 14 new sites have been offered to him.

Maj. S. R. Crumbaugh expects to remain in Pittsburgh for several days. He jokingly remarked yesterday that the local steamboat inspectors have had so many cases of investigation on hand recently that he has deferred his visit for several months, knowing that he would have to hear some appeals. Maj. Crumbaugh, who was recently reappointed inspector of the Pittsburgh and Cincinnati district, will go to Pittsburgh to Steubing and then to Gallipolis, visiting the inspectors at those points before returning to Cincinnati.

Maj. S. R. Crumbaugh, supervising inspector of steam vessels of the Pittsburgh and Cincinnati district, took testimony yesterday on the collision between the Woodward and Elizabeth. He concluded his investigations yesterday afternoon. It leaked out that Pilot Irwin Boyd who made an appeal, asserted that he had shoved the Woodward ashore in order to save the lives of passengers. The hearing was held behind closed doors and Maj. Crumbaugh would not discuss the case prior to making a final decision on Pilot Boyd's appeal. The latter's attorney will file a brief to the testimony.

Frohman Scores New Success.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Another English play met with approval at the Garrick theater tonight which opened its fifth season under Charles Frohman's management. Robert Marshall, who wrote "His Excellency," "The Royal Family," and "The Second in Command," is also the author of "There is Many a Slip," which was given its first American presentation. Miss Jessie Millward, took the leading female role and increased her artistic favor.

LITTLE FIGHTERS ARE SURE TO MEET

Louisville Lawyers Insist That the Bout Cannot Be Stopped—No Violation of the Law.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—All doubt as to whether the Corbett-McGovern fight will take place here on September 22 has faded, and it can now be said with safety that the match will be pulled off and that neither Gov. Beckham nor Mayor Grainger will do anything to prevent it.

The written opinion of Messrs. J. T. O'Neal and John L. Dodd, two of Louisville's most prominent lawyers, has practically settled the contention. The lawyers, after a thorough reading of the statutes and a study of the articles of agreement, hold that the Corbett-McGovern affair will be clearly within the law, that it will not be illegal and the principals cannot be arrested or enjoined.

In the meaning of the law, they say, a boxing match is distinguished from a prize fight by the principals performing in the ring for a specified sum of money and not for a prize. The lawyers say the articles do not say that McGovern and Corbett will fight for a prize, but for a specified sum of money. Therefore, the law will not be violated.

It is learned from a trustworthy source that Gov. Beckham will take this position. He will not interfere unless Mayor Grainger finds that the law is being violated and needs assistance in enforcing the mandates of the law.

It is presumed that this condition will exist, and of course there can be nothing in the way of the fight. Preparations for the match are progressing rapidly, and arrangements are being made by the Southern Athletic club to seat 12,000 persons.

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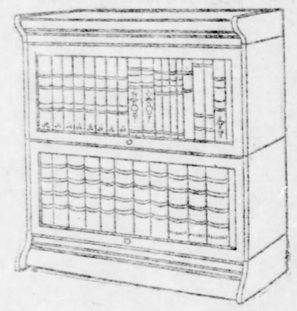

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SOME CURIOUS COMPLICATIONS IN A LAND DEAL

Use of a Dummy and Disappearance of the Owner Involved.

MANY FIGHTS IN COURT RESULTED.

Two Alleged Agreements to Sell the Same Property End in a Serious Legal Mix-up That May Never Be Unraveled.

The use of a dummy, two different agreements to sell the same property, the disappearance of the owner, a bill in equity to enforce one of the agreements dismissed on the grounds of misrepresentation, the allegation of the owner before his disappearance that the second agreement was taken out of his house without his consent, several fights in court over two judgments, a foreclosure of a mortgage and reinstatement of the judgments and exceptions to the sheriff's return after he had sold the property all figure in an interesting case that involves the equity of an agreement to purchase property which was alleged to have never been acknowledged by the parties agreeing to sell.

Fred Schmitz yesterday filed exceptions to the sheriff's return of the proceeds of the sale of property in the case of Mary A. Clark for use against W. T. Greenfield. A certain lot belonging to the defendant and his wife was sold after his brother, F. T. Greenfield of Erie, had obtained judgments against them for $550. The petitioner says that he agreed to purchase the same property from the Greenfields previous to the sale and when he went to them with $2,900 he found the Greenfield had departed for some place unknown.

Several Wanted It.

It appears that W. T. Greenfield owned a piece of property wanted by a number of persons, and that he had a mortgage against it for $2,100 and two judgments against it for $550, owned by his brother. He agreed with a real estate agent to sell it for $2,800 in November, 1900. On November 13 the agent asked him to wait until the 15th before he would make final settlement. This was agreed to, but on the evening of that day Schmitz visited the owner and with his attorney secured an agreement to sell it to him for the same figure. The same evening Greenfield alleges he repented of this agreement, made, as he claims, while he was seriously ill. He told Schmitz, he says, that he rescinded the agreement, but Schmitz refused to cancel it, and although it was not acknowledged he had his attorney as a witness and they placed the agreement on record the following morning.

The first buyer returned the same day and advised Greenfield that only the first agreement would hold. They went to the recorder's office that day and satisfied two judgments, but Greenfield got no cash, as the agent asked him to wait a few days until he consulted his attorney about the second agreement, which they found on record. Greenfield then disappeared and turned up later in Erie. His brother came to Pittsburgh, filed a petition to open the judgments, which was done.

Filed a Bill in Equity.

The real estate agent then came into court with a bill in equity against Greenfield to compel him to acknowledge a deed to him (the real estate agent's) position. Greenfield refused and in his answer set up that the agent had fooled him as to the actual name of the buyer, using a name that never existed to conceal the name of the real purchaser. The court refused the prayer and dismissed the bill. In the meantime F. T. Greenfield bought the mortgage and proceeded to foreclose on it. At the sheriff's sale a few days ago Schmitz was compelled to pay $3,500 to get possession, and now files his exceptions to the sale. Attorney Howard Negley represents F. T. Greenfield and W. T. Greenfield's whereabouts are not known.

KILLING WAS BRUTAL.

Testimony to This Effect Was Given During the Trial of Guiseppe Morielia for Murder.

Guiseppe Morielia, an Italian, was placed on trial in the criminal court yesterday before Judge Edwin H. Stowe for the murder of Antonio Valle on May 4 last. The trial was slow, as an interpreter had to be used in connection with nearly every witness. The case of the prosecution was completed and the defendant will be placed on the witness stand this morning.

From the testimony yesterday the murder was alleged to have been premeditated and brutal, the defendant having fired a second shot into Valle's body after he had fallen. Valle was an Italian merchant, it seems, and ran a small bakery in connection with his store. The defendant had, previous to the murder, been working for him, but for some reason had been discharged. On May 4, about 6 o'clock in the evening, as Valle was walking up Laurel avenue the defendant stepped out of his house and shot Valle over the right eye. The latter fell and he fired again. Morielia then fled and when pursued flourished his revolver, threatening to shoot all who came near him. He was finally captured by Officer Ellsworth.

District Attorney Haymaker, assisted by Attorney William Hunter, conducted the prosecution and presented photographs showing the neighborhood where the deed was committed and the route taken by the defendant in his attempt to escape. Attorneys John D. Watson and W. H. S. Thompson defended Morielia.

Silviano Puzzelli and his wife both said they saw the shooting, and were standing but a short distance away. Puzzelli said after the first shot was fired he ran to the defendant and asked him why he shot Valle. The defendant made no answer, but walked up to Valle's body and fired again.

Pasqualina Lucchien also saw the shooting and said, as far as he saw, the defendant uttered no words, but deliberately fired the shots.

Officer Wilbert testified that he heard the shots fired and took charge of the body until the arrival of Captain Ford. He said some person was going through Valle's pockets when he came up, and that the things were turned over to him. In the dead man's pockets $117 was found, together with a revolver. The case will be continued this morning.

STOLE DIAMOND RING.

Father and Daughter Found Guilty of Larceny—Horsethief Gets Two Years.

Rose and John Pendleton were found guilty of the larceny of a valuable diamond ring in Judge F. H. Collier's branch of the criminal court. The ring was alleged to have been stolen at No. 122 Second avenue on September 25, 1901, from William Cleary or Baltimore. The woman testified that she had found the ring in a cuspidore and had taken it home to her father. Pendleton said he made an effort to find the owner, but as he could not, made an attempt to pawn it, when he was arrested. Sentence will be imposed Saturday.

Carl Neubert was acquitted of a charge of larceny preferred by Joseph Kinsey of Bridgeville. Neubert is a real estate and insurance agent at Bridgeville, and was accused of taking money collected from rented houses. The alleged missing money was paid out for taxes, water rent, etc.

Albert Moulton was sentenced to the Western penitentiary for two years for stealing a horse from John Smith of Bridgeville.

Grand Jury Returns.

The grand jury yesterday returned a true bill in the assault and battery charge preferred against Paul Hacke, formerly of Hugus & Hacke, by J. A. Mould, of the Patterson Dryegoods Company. Mould accuses Hacke of choking him and otherwise abusing him on June 20. The following other bills were returned:

True Bills—Misdemeanor, David Adler, Louis Kraus, Louis Lawson, Thomas Mason; assault and battery, Henry Cain et al, Paul H. Hacke, William Green, Jacob Staub et al, Peter Tsules et al, John Vorneca et al, Peter W. Warbiyak et al; felonious assault, Nick Manus; felonious assault and battery, D. Sanders et al; larceny, John Boland, George Peters, Joseph Hamman, Wassil Papichek; larceny by bailee, John Kraus, Sam Myers; burglary, Daniel Byrnes; misdemeanor, R. W. Moore, Martin P. Scarinble; false pretense, Peter Berti, Margaretta Berti; serious charge, William Fowler, John Rochester, George C. Tyler; carrying concealed weapons, John Mishko; selling liquo illegally, Vincent Mavern.

Ignored bills—Assault and battery, Walter Brooks, Thomas Cox, W. E. Friday, Joseph Kubiak, William Trotter; aggravated assault and battery, E. Dunbar; selling liquor illegally, Sam Brown and Frank Frederick (2); larceny, Mame Kane; larceny by bailee, Annie Gighott; misdemeanor, Albert Metz.

New Suits Filed.

New suits were entered as follows:

COMMON PLEAS NO. 1.

Plaintiff.	Defendant.	Action.
Brown Hardware and Supply Company	Richard E. Beam	Assp
Same	William F. Packard	Assp
Same	Terrence Shields	Assp
Phillip Steinmiller	Frank Moore	Ex att
Charles Schwartz	James Glenn	Cert
John L. Tees	Pittsburgh Construction Company	Tres
William C. Washburn	Western Pennsylvania Fire Patrol and Despatch Company	Appeal
Smeltz & Eastwood	John A. Meaner	Sci. fa. rev

COMMON PLEAS NO. 2.

The Croesus Oil Company et al	P. W. Neace	For. att
White Sewing Machine Company	John Cashdollar et al	Rep
Same	Nettie Confoun	Rep
C. Boting & Sons	Frank Moore et al	Att assp
P. L. Kuns	John Carr	Cert
Lizzie R. Wallace	Mary McCauley	Sci. fa. mige
Alexander Hughes	Henry Moskowitz	Appeal
Graff Bros.	Mrs. G. Fester	Assp

Today's Trial Lists.

Criminal Court—Commonwealth vs. John J. Maner, H. C. Avery, William Smith, C. Hambeck Jr., C. Hambeck, Sr., Joseph Lucas, W. J. Mackie, J. Sewinsky, John Bell, Steven Mills, John W. Daili, Minnie Spikes, J. H. Moore, A. L. Karr, Henry Doerr, Ballatti Anasell, Robert Smith, Charles Zimmerman, George Flanagan, Dennis Cratty, John Williams, John and James O'Dond et al, James Fyan, John Finley, Elmer Croker (2), E. C. Good, Benjamin F. Rollins, Joseph Yargnioski, W. H. Hamilton, George Lyon, Martin Berger, Leonard M. Taggart, Maurls Neiman, Melvin Carr, John Hart.

Common Pleas No. 1.—Kitchen vs. Ritter-Conley Manufacturing Company; Morrin vs. Coyle; Huling vs. Klein; Doherty vs. Musgrave; West Bellevue council Junior O. U. A. M. vs. Same; Johnson vs. Same; Wall vs. City of Pittsburgh. Sheriff Manufacturing Company vs. Harvey.

Common Pleas No. 4.—Commonwealth ex rel. vs. Platt, Worthington vs. Dillinger et al, Drhew vs. City of Allegheny; Falck vs. same; Goebler vs. same; Dechger vs. Wolkenski; Eckhardt vs. Wittmer; Tyler vs. Lesser Fuel Mining Company; Sweeney vs. Wernberg, Sheehan & Co.; Grindle vs. Booth & Flinn; Thompson vs. United Traction Company.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

A rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened was granted in the case of Sarah W. Fester against Mrs. U. Fester.

The case of W. H. Irwin against Arbuckle & Co. is on trial. The plaintiff alleges his child was killed by the defendant's wagon.

A petition was filed by F. B. Vincent to obtain his release from jail, where he was committed for failure to pay a fine and costs.

Elizabeth Salin recovered $2,500 damages from the United Traction Company for the death of her husband, who was killed by a car.

Attachments were issued against the defendant in the suit of Philip Reinhart against Mary E. Moore Company, an action to recover $5,000 on notes.

The court appointed September 27 next as the time for the hearing in the matter of the petition of E. E. Ziegler to have a guardian appointed for his son.

Suit was entered by J. E. O'Brien against C. J. Phillips to recover $5,000 damages. The plaintiff, who is a traveling salesman, alleges the defendant, who is a dentist, called him "a fake."

Thomas Beckerton entered suit against Jefferson township to recover $500. He claims that while driving one of his teams along a road his horse was thrown over an embankment and injured.

The case of Margaret J. McMinn against August Hazelbarth is on trial. The plaintiff asks for damages for the destruction of property by the breaking of a dam built by the defendant in Lower St. Clair township.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed in the United States district court by William H. Bingaman of Cochranton, Crawford county. His liabilities are $694 and assets $80. Henry F. Ciniotte, Jr., was discharged from bankruptcy.

Judge R. S. Frazer fixed September 24 next as the time for the hearing in the equity case of Jacob Byers against his nephew, W. S. Byers, the Greensburg lawyer, and the Fidelity Title and Trust Company. The action is to obtain possession of bonds said to be deposited with the trust company. The preliminary injunction granted heretofore was continued.

WHAT TO EAT.

Conducted by Lida Ames Wills, Marquette Buchleau, Chicago, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

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MENUS.

Wednesday.

BREAKFAST.
Sliced Peaches, Cream.
Bacon. Lyonnaise Potatoes.
Waffles. Maple Syrup.
Coffee.
LUNCH.
Sardines. Hot Potato Salad.
Cheese. Wafers.
Tea.
DINNER.
Okra Soup.
Broiled Spring Chicken. String Beans.
Sweet Potatoes.
Creamed Cucumbers.
Lettuce.
Peach Cream. Coffee.

Thursday.

BREAKFAST.
Fruit.
Cereal. Cream.
Thin Slices Broiled Ham. Creamed Sweet Potatoes
Milk Biscuits. Coffee.
LUNCH.
Egg Cutlets. Cream Sauce.
Peach Shortcake. Cream.
Tea.
DINNER.
Chilled Melon.
Planked Steak. Cream Potatoes.
Baked Summer Squash.
Tomato Mayonnaise.
Apple Snow. Coffee.

Friday.

BREAKFAST.
Fruit.
Cereal. Cream.
Creamed Tomatoes.
Omelet. Coffee.
Rolls.
LUNCH.
Egg Plant Fancl.
Plain Boiled Macaroni.
Popovers. Fresh Fruit Sauce.
Tea.
DINNER.
Cream of Clam Soup.
Halibut Steak. Egg Sauce.
Mashed Potatoes. Spiced Beets.
Lettuce.
Peach Cobbler. Coffee.

INQUIRIES ANSWERED.

Mrs. A. R. writes: Will you please inform me how to make tomato jam?

Ripe Tomato Jam.

The tomatoes must be perfectly ripe, but not too soft. Peel them and take out the seeds, draining off the juice in a fine seive. Cut up the tomatoes and put into a preserving kettle after weighing them. To every pound of tomato pulp allow half a pound of sugar. Boil two lemons until soft and then pound them to a pulp, after removing the pits, add to the tomato; let boil slowly, mashing to a smooth mass with a wooden spoon and stirring frequently. Cook until smooth and thick and then put into jars and glasses and when cold tie up. Rhu jelly. A little green ginger root may be added to the jam, giving it a nice flavor.

Mustard Pickles.

Mrs. E. F. requests a recipe for mustard pickles. Take half a peck of small cucumbers, half a peck of green string beans, one quart of green peppers, two quarts of small onions; cut all into small pieces, except the onions if they are very tiny. Carefully remove all the seeds from the peppers. Put the cucumbers and beans in a strong brine for twenty-four hours, then drain and freshen in cold water and drain again. Place in glass or stone jars and cover with two pounds of ground mustard mixed with a pint of salad oil and three quarts of good cider vinegar. (Some prefer white wine vinegar.)

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SOCIETY

MISS MARY FRENCH of Allegheny gave a theater party at the Grand opera house yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Ruth Agnew of Sewickley. Miss Agnew is to married on Thursday evening to George Brown Zahniser of New Castle, Pa., and yesterday's guests were the bridal party, which is made up of a maid of honor and eight bridesmaids, of which Miss French is one. The party, beside Miss Agnew and the hostess, consisted of Miss Rebecca Taylor of Sewickley, who is to be maid of honor; Miss Alice Agnew, a sister of the bride; Miss Elizabeth Fleming, Miss Louise Collin, Miss Jeannette Bell, Miss Anne Nelson, Miss Florence Olsterout and Miss Katherine Zahniser, a sister of the groom. Yesterday's party was only one of a series of entertainments to be given for Miss Agnew this week, immediately preceding the wedding. This afternoon Miss Rebecca Taylor, who is to be maid of honor, will give a card party in her honor. Tonight the Briar club of Sewickley, which is composed of a number of well-known young men, will give a dance at the Edgeworth club at Edgeworth, at which the bridal party will be honor guests. The patronesses for the dance are Mrs. Edward Agnew, Mrs. Darwin S. Woleott, Mrs. Frank G. Paulson, Mrs. DeWitt B. Stockton, Mrs. Harry Campbell, Mrs. Edward D. Gilmore, Mrs. Wallace G. Muzzy and Mrs. Howard M. H. Blair. Tomorrow night the festivities will conclude with a dinner which the bride's parents will give for the bridal party. The wedding is on Thursday night.

Dinner for a Wedding Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones McElheny gave a very prettily appointed dinner at their home in Murray Hill avenue, last night in honor of Miss Lyda Bushfield, and the members of her bridal party. Mrs. McElheny was Miss Caroline Bushfield, and her marriage to Mr. McElheny was an event of less than a year ago. The dinner last night followed the church rehearsal for the wedding, which was held in Christ Methodist Episcopal church at Liberty and Center avenues. Miss Bushfield will be married today in Christ church to Clarence Close. The church rehearsal last night was a very pretty affair. It was held early so that the party could return to the McElheny home for dinner. The dinner was beautifully appointed, and it was a very merry party of young people which gathered around the handsomely laid table.

Engineers Will Meet Soon.

The Engineers' Society of Western Pennsylvania will open its season with a reception and dinner at the University Club on Tuesday evening, September 23. Later in the evening a business meeting will be held when the following papers will be read. "The Double Deck Bridge of the Pennsylvania Lines crossing the Allegheny river at Pittsburgh," by A. Amsden of the American Bridge Company; "The Allegheny Track Elevation," H. S. Wilgus, engineer in charge of the work; "The Function of the Rivers in Maintaining Pittsburgh's Supremacy," Julian Sulgrave; "Rules and Regulations Concerning the Bridging of Navigable Waters—The Harbor of Pittsburgh," Capt. William L. Sibert, United States corps of engineers; "Artificial Obstructions in River Transportation," Capt. John F. Dravo of the Pittsburgh coal exchange.

Will Compete for a Prize.

The senior class at the Pennsylvania college for women is preparing to enter the contest for the Julia K. Hogg memorial prize of $50, which is offered by the Pennsylvania Daughters of the American Revolution. The prize is for the best essay on "The History of What is Now Pennsylvania before the Penn Charter." The prize is offered for competition between the seniors of the Pennsylvania college, Bryn Mawr college, Swarthmore college, Pennsylvania college, Bethlehem; Metzger college, Carlisle; Irving college, Mechanicsburg, and Wilson college, Chambersburg. The essays of the class are to be handed to the president of the institution, who will select three to be judged by a committee which has been chosen.

Annual Prospectus Issued.

The annual prospectus of the Art Society of Pittsburgh has just been issued by the board of managers. This season marks the thirtieth year of the society, and a very successful year is promised. The season opens October 23, the other entertainments following at intervals all winter. Some of the events scheduled are a rendition of "Enoch Arden," arranged by Richard Strauss; recitals by Edward McDowell, the Pittsburgh orchestra, assisted by Miss Marie Nichol; lectures by Walter Damrosch and F. Hopkinson Smith; and Miss Helen Henschel, violinist. The officers of the society are Edwin Z. Smith, president; Martin B. Leisser, vice-president; Mrs. Magee, secretary and Edward A. Woods, treasurer.

Closes the Year's Work.

The semi-annual meeting of the Pittsburgh conference of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society will be held on Friday in the Ames Methodist Episcopal church, Hazelwood. Unusual interest is attached to this meeting as it closes up the year's work and rounds out the $5,000 to build an industrial home in Foo Choo, China, for the destitute widows of that country. A returned missionary will be present at the meeting, who will tell of conditions in the Orient. Luncheon will be served by the ladies of the church.

Will Soon Be Announced.

The engagement of Miss Louise Todd Baird of Wheeling, to G. Grant Oliver, a prominent young business man of Washington, Pa., will be an announcement of the near future. Miss Baird is a daughter of the late Dr. George Baird, and a prominent young woman in Wheeling. Mr. Oliver is a graduate of Washington and Jefferson college, and a member of Phi Kappa fraternity. He has just moved to Clarksburg, W. Va., to manage a branch office for the glass factory by which he is employed.

Will Give the "Merry Cobbler."

The Columbus Dramatic Society of Homestead is preparing to give an elaborate production of the "Merry Cobbler," on the evenings of September 30 and October 1, in St. Mary's hall, Tenth avenue. The principal parts will be taken by J. J. Sullivan, J. C. Leach, T. J. McDonald, H. A. Haley, Frank Hartman, E. S. McConegly, Misses Mary McCann, Celia McDermitt, Mary Madden, Margarett Conroy, Marie Clifford, Della Walton and Harry Walton.

School of Design Opens.

The Pittsburgh School of Design for Women opened its fall term yesterday morning with a larger attendance than usual. The faculty has been increased, and the classes still include oil, water color, pen and ink, crayon, china decorating and sketching. A new class has been added which will create wall paper work and carved wood work design. Martin B. Leisser is president of the school.

Annual Meeting Thursday.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Union Missionary Association of Allegheny county will be held in the North avenue Methodist Episcopal church, Allegheny, Thursday afternoon and evening of this week. The attendance promises to reach well into the hundreds, as every denomination in the city will be represented.

Notes of Society.

Miss Elizabeth Hay of Fremont street, Allegheny, entertained a small party of her friends last evening.

James Ward of Philadelphia, a brother of Hugh J. Ward, the well-known comedian, is visiting in Pittsburgh this week.

The Alumni association of the Braddock High school held a dance at Kennywood park last evening. It was a very pretty affair, and was largely attended.

Mrs. Alden M. Spring of Forbes street is making an extended visit to eastern cities, and will not return to Pittsburgh before the middle of December.

Mrs. William E. Hubbard and Miss Hubbard of Bellevue, left on Sunday night for a long trip through Tennessee and Georgia. They will be gone some weeks.

The Woman's Press club of Pittsburgh held a meeting yesterday afternoon in the Hotel Lincoln. It was very well attended, and a great deal of routine business was transacted.

Miss Winifred McCausland gave a dance at her home in Swissvale last night in honor of Miss Maude Bright of Salem, O. The home was prettily decorated, and the dance was very pleasant.

Miss Fannie Stern, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stern, of Page street, Allegheny, and M. A. Solomon, a well known young merchant of Allegheny, will be married on Tuesday, September 23, at the home of the bride's parents.

DEADLOCK TO BE PICKED.

York-Adams District Democrats Will Know on Thursday Who Will Be Congressional Nominee.

HARRISBURG, PA., Aug. 15. (Special.)—The Democratic nomination for congress in the York-Adams district over which the conferees have been deadlocked for a month, will be decided on Thursday by State Chairman Creasy. The candidates are Harry N. Gitt of Hanover and ex-Judge William McClean of Gettysburg, each of whom has agreed to abide by the decision of the state chairman.

At the last meeting of the conference it was agreed that each candidate should select a representative, and that these representatives should select a third person, who should be the referee and decide which nominee shall stand as the party candidate for the district. Chairman Creasy was selected and today he had a long conference at state headquarters with C. U. Delone of York and J. L. Butt of Gettysburg, the respective representatives of Gitt and McClean, after which he decided to select the nominee and announce his decision on Thursday.

The Democratic conferees of the Seventeenth congressional district will meet at state headquarters on Thursday to nominate a candidate. The district is strongly Republican and there are aspirants for the Democratic nomination.

Congressman Olmsted of this city will be renominated by acclamation tomorrow by the Republican conferees of the Eighteenth district.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

John Ankowski	Pittsburgh
Mary Cerchocka	Pittsburgh
Oliver C. Williams	Undercliff
Mary E. Schreiber	Pittsburgh
Paul C. Rohrlis	Pittsburgh
Mary F. Robinson	Pittsburgh
Michael Halko	Pittsburgh
Mary Hiben	Allegheny
Thomas M. Rendal	Pittsburgh
Rose Smith	Allegheny
Frank S. Cousley	Pittsburgh
Jessie P. Brown	Allegheny
David V. Jacobs	Pittsburgh
Rozalia Szimkovics	Pittsburgh
William Green	Pittsburgh
Susan M. Check	Pittsburgh
Edmund Lorentz	Pittsburgh
Bertha Lichg	Pittsburgh
Steve Reinhart	Etna
Mari Wolf	Etna
Commodore Jenkins	Pittsburgh
Rosamora Harris	Pittsburgh
James Jennings	Pittsburgh
Margaret M. Manning	Pittsburgh
Robert V. Fulton	Pittsburgh
Katherine F. Moerhoff	Pittsburgh
August Leipoldt	Allegheny
Charlotte Loeffler	Allegheny
William Kilpatrick	Pittsburgh
Daisy Alexander	Pittsburgh
Lewis Schaff	Curry Station
Maggie Engle	Mt. Oliver
Robert P. Rosebery	Duquesne
Margaret C. Hart	Duquesne
Alfred Moxley	Rochester
Elizabeth Ridley	Beaver
Alvey A. Jones	East Pittsburgh
Lillie Jones	Parkersburg, W. Va.
Fred E. Finch	Jeannette
Genevieve Dobbins	Pittsburgh
Lawrence E. Benkart	Allegheny
Katherine V. Driscoll	Pittsburgh
William R. Martin	New Kensington
Anna B. Smith	New Kensington
Charles W. Winifrey	Cleveland
Etta B. Winters	Pittsburgh
Henry Irving	Pittsburgh
Edna B. Smith	Pittsburgh
Edward R. Schneider	Allegheny
Maude E. Hulbert	Allegheny
Robert C. Nichols	Pittsburgh
Allee Glass	Pittsburgh

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52-inch Homespuns $1.00
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SUB-COMMITTEE WAS APPOINTED FOR FILTRATION

Will Look Into Important Questions on the Present Plans.

IT MUST BE BIG ENOUGH FOR WHOLE CITY.

South Side Must Be Provided For—Reason for Not Including in Estimates Covers for Filter Bids to Be Investigated.

Four important questions were turned over to a sub-committee yesterday by the committee on filtration, together with the filtration plans, the communication of Director McCandless to councils and the seven ordinances for award of contracts. This sub-committee is instructed to make a report as soon as possible and to weigh carefully everything in connection with the plant before a report is made. The sub-committee received suggestions from various members of the general committee.

The questions to be considered are:

"Will the filtration plant as projected furnish sufficient filtered water for the entire city?"

"Will the plant furnish sufficient water for the fourteen wards on the south side of the Monongahela river?"

"Was there any consideration given the fact that the filter beds will have to be covered, and if not, why not?"

"Does the proposed award of seven contracts conform with the decision on the subject by Judge Buffington?"

Some Pertinent Questions.

The committee on filtration met yesterday afternoon for the purpose of taking up the filtration papers presented in common council at the last meeting. The communication of the director was read to the committee by Clerk W. C. Gearing, when Common Councilman Thomas M. Brown of the Twentieth ward made the following motion: "In view of the magnitude of this project, and the importance of it to the city of Pittsburgh, financially and otherwise, I move that this entire matter be referred to a special sub-committee, with the recommendation that the committee make a report at the earliest possible moment."

Common Councilman Gebhert Sahner said: "I understand that these plans are simply for a capacity of 50,000,000 gallons a day. I also understand that the 23 wards that now use city water use it at the rate of 60,000,000 gallons per diem, and that the consumption is rapidly increasing. If this is true, I should like very much to know why this is done. The committee ought to learn some of these things. I cannot understand why the plant should be built at a capacity that will supply only a part of the city of Pittsburgh. What we want is a plant that will supply the entire city. If the people are to be asked to vote for such a plant, they ought to be at least assured some of the benefits which they pay for."

The Question of Covering.

President C. S. Crawford said: "I have seen it stated that the plans do not include any coverings for the filter beds. I do not know whether this is true. The committee might learn whether it is true, that there are to be no coverings for these beds, and if this is true then the committee might learn by what process of reasoning it was decided not to cover the beds. I see that the plant is divided into seven contracts. I understand that it has been decided by the court that the entire plant must be awarded in one contract. I do not know whether this is true. The committee might look into that."

Committee Was Appointed.

The motion to refer the matter to a sub-committee prevailed, and Chairman W. S. Woods appointed the following sub-committee: Thomas M. Brown, M. L. O'Brien, Gebhart Sahner, W. J. Zahniser and Thomas E. Perry. Mr. Brown will probably be chairman of the committee, as he was chairman of the sub-committee which considered the appropriate estimate some weeks ago. No time has been set for a meeting of the sub-committee, but it will be called together soon. Resident Engineer Knowles has just returned from a two-weeks' vacation spent in the east. He was almost exhausted when the plans were finally completed, as he had but the one assistant, and was compelled to do the greater part of the technical work himself.

HOBSON FIT FOR DUTY.

His Eyesight Evidently Better, and on Dr. Rixey's Report He Will Get Another Assignment.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 15.—Naval Constructor Richmond Pearson Hobson, who appeared before a retiring board a few months ago and failed to qualify for retirement, will be assigned to duty shortly by the navy department. He has been on sick leave since June 18.

After having been rejected by the retiring board Mr. Hobson applied for three months' sick leave to allow his eyes, which he declared had been much overtaxed and impaired by the sun glare which attended his work of raising the sunken Spanish vessels, to recuperate. At the end of that period it was understood that if the constructor's eyes had failed to grow stronger or had become more impaired he should be ordered before another retiring board.

Now that his leave has about expired the navy department has referred his case to Dr. Rixey, surgeon general of the navy. Constructor Hobson called in person at the navy department a short time ago and saw Dr. Rixey, who, without having made a special examination, has pronounced the officer fit for duty.

Constructor Hobson desires to resume his former duty at the Crescent Shipbuilding Company.

POLICE DRILLS BEGIN.

Preparations Being Made for Annual Inspection and Parade on Thanksgiving.

Police drills will begin today and continued until Thanksgiving Day, when the annual inspection and parade will be held. It will be the 13th inspection in 14 years. The one held last year, owing to the change last fall in the administration, when so many old policemen were removed and new ones put in their places. It was deemed inadvisable to announce an inspection and parade of men who were not familiar with drills and parades.

Capt. J. A. A. Brown, for many years the drillmaster, has notified the men in districts Nos. 1 and 2 to report for drill in Bluff street at 2 o'clock today; the men of Nos. 3 and 4 at Forbes and St. Pierre streets tomorrow, and those of district No. 5 to report in South Thirteenth street on Thursday. The drills will be held weekly.

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FLOUR MILL—In the best wheat-growing district in Ohio; equipped with all modern machinery; capacity 75 barrels daily; great opportunity for a miller; price $15,000; terms half cash; balance will exchange for real estate.
CAVANAGH, CO., 431 Fourth ave.

BUSINESS or all kinds sold, partners secured for established business, stock companies organized and industrial enterprises financed; all business strictly confidential.
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TIN SHOP and Slating Business, located in town 50 miles from Pittsburgh, doing a large business. Including 3-story frame building. Price $11,000.
CAVANAGH & CO., 236 Fourth ave.

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FOR SALE—Old established tea business, having exclusive trade of the town; large profits, steady trade; good opportunity for cash investor. Address P. E. Koepsefield, Leechburg, Pa.

GENTS' FURNISHING STORE, located in suburb of Pittsburgh, doing good business; can be bought at invoice, about $4,000.
CAVANAGH & CO., 236 Fourth ave.

WE CAN sell your business, city and country. THE JAMES MURTHA CO., 31, 339 Fifth ave.

IF you want to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

BUSINESS CHANCES—Send for list. Estep & Co., 326 Fourth ave.

Investments.

Can save you 10 per cent to 60 per cent on all stocks.
Have about all of them. Note these figures.

	Office Price.	My Price.
Jager Oil	$1.00	.50
Mount Shasta (Gold)	.50	.15
Pluma Mining (Black Hills)	.25	.12
Morgenthaler Smelting	1.00	.50
Verde Grande Copper	.05	.01
Louis)	15.00	5.00

For quick sale list your stock with me.
CHAS. S. BURTON, 318 Frick Bldg.
Phones—Bell 'phone 1021 Main and
P. & A., 2710 Main.

GUARANTEED quarterly and semi-annual cash dividend stocks and bonds. H. F. Bachman & Co., bankers and brokers. Members New York, Philadelphia and Chicago stock exchanges. 411 Wood st. W. J. Black, member Pittsburgh stock exchange.

Machinery.

FOR SALE—At the Leader refinery, Taylorstown, Washington county, Pa., a number of wooden tanks from 100 to 1,000 barrels capacity; steam pumps and air pumps or blowers of different sizes; also a number of large and iron-clad buildings, which include stone or brick foundations.

Address Mr. J. Ablett, Atlantic Refining Co., Pittsburgh, Pa., or apply on the premises.

We also have for sale at Pittsburgh a pair of good tubular boilers of about 80 horse-power each; also a number of second-hand pumps of different sizes, and quantity of small iron tanks holding from 50 to 75 barrels.

Apply Mr. G. H. Weaver, Supt. The Atlantic Refining Co., Fifty-seventh and Butler sts., Pittsburgh.

1—15-ton iron jib crane.
2—10-ton hydraulic jib cranes.
1—5-ton steam jib crane.
1—5-ton Howe platform scale.
1—58"x12" grind stone.
3—Portable forges.
6—20" Prentice drill presses.
1—10-ton Harrington chain hoist.
1—600-lb. Pratt & Whitney drop hammer.
1—5-ton Morgan steam hammer.
1—Buhl punch, capacity ½" hole.
3—Allison punches, capacity ¾" hole.

WICKES BROTHERS.
Office, 808 Frick building.
Both 'Phones.
Warehouse and Office 45th st. and A. V. R. R.

FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P. stationary and portable, upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers, and large lot of miscellaneous machinery; second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

FOR SALE—Engines, boilers, sawmills, sand crushers, grinding mills, brick machinery, rock crushers, road machinery, traction engines, threshers, corn huskers, hydraulic cider mills, belting, pipe, valves, general supplies.
B. D. REED, 32 Fifth st., Pittsburgh.

ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT.
Direct connection, or belted to Nash gas engines. Force & Briggs, Fourth and Liberty aves.

N. C. DAVISON,
Gas and Steam Engines, Boilers, Pumps, Compressors, 508 Frick Bldg.

Pianos.

FOR SALE—At great sacrifice, magnificent upright mahogany piano; practically new; must be sold at once; fully guaranteed. No. 16 Stanwix st., 10 to 12 daily.

FOR SALE—Expensive, famous upright piano, cover, stool; family sells cheap. Box 203, Allegheny.

Bar Fixtures.

AT lowest prices for cash or time; make your own terms; bar fixtures, work boards, pumps, billiard tables, safes, etc. S. Delp Sons, corner Fourth and Liberty sts.

Sewing Machines.

BIG bargains in shop-worn and good second-hand sewing machines; all makes. New Home Sewing Machine Co., 131 Sixth st., Pittsburgh, next to Bijou theater.

Financial.

CONSOLIDATED Stock Exchange membership offered low; owner moving. Address Opportunity, The Gazette.

Horses and Vehicles.

HORSE—High-knee action, at Highland stable, Redmond st., near Highland.

Miscellaneous.

BANKRUPTCY SALE.
The undersigned will receive private bids at his office, 421 Wood st., on Friday, September 19, 1902, up to 2 o'clock p. m., on the barroom and restaurant furniture and fixtures, liquors, cigars and private household of premises 906 and 908 East st., Allegheny, Pa., formerly the property of Henry Frau, Jr., now bankrupt. Twenty-five per cent of amount of bid must accompany such bids, in case no satisfactory private bid is received above named property will be offered at public auction on the said premises on Monday, September 22, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.
JUSTUS MULERT, Receiver.
421 Wood st.

FOR SALE.

Miscellaneous.

THE PITTSBURGH AUCTION CO., LTD., 618-620-622 Wylie ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Auction sales Mondays and Thursdays of each week at 10 a. m.; consignments solicited; buy and sell everything second-hand; call and see us.

FOR SALE—100,000 common brick; immediate delivery. R. McLaughlin, 911 Hamilton bldg.

FOR SALE—National cash register cheap if sold at once. Lernard, 506 Fourth ave.

PERSONAL.

SHANAHAN TRANSFER AND STORAGE CO.
FURNITURE MOVERS.
PADDED VANS.
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FURNITURE STORAGE,
Express Wagons. Teams for Hire. Hauling Contractors.
OFFICE AND WAREHOUSE,
Magee St., Near Fifth Ave.
Tel. 1849.

MOVING?
It so, employ practical and experienced parties; it is the cheapest. Light wagons for hire, with or without drivers. Also carriers of passengers and packages to Perrysville and Wexford.
J. O'NEIL, EXPRESS,
813 and 815 West Diamond, Allegheny.
Both 'Phones No. 453, Allegheny.

PERSONAL—Do you know a good painter? If so, have him do your work; if not, send for F. J. Byrne. All kinds of painting done in the best manner with the best material. 634 Fifth ave. Both telephones. 55 Tunnel st.

PAINT PRESERVES PROPERTY.
Protect your houses with good paint put on by a trustworthy painter.
F. J. BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave.
55 Tunnel st. Both telephones.

Violins, Mandolins, Banjos, Guitars, Including Lessons,
50c WEEKLY.
Hemisphere Conservatories, 543 Smithfield, 526 Federal st., Allegheny. Open evenings.

PERSONAL—Mrs. le Sourd masseuse, chiropodist, manicure, baths, medical reference. Office Herron bldg., 826 Federal, Allegheny; use stairway to second floor; do not take elevator.

PERSONAL—Allen's Rug Works, 2905 and 2907 Center ave., Lawrenceville, will save your old carpets into fine rugs and druggets; send for circular.

PERSONAL—Male and female help supplied. Reliable Employment, Bell 211-2 Grant. Yoder building.

PERSONAL—Magnetic treatment. Elsie Mills, 800 Penn ave., second floor.

MEETINGS.

Office of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company.
SPECIAL NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.
The board of directors of this company has called a special meeting of its stockholders, to be held at the office of the company, corner of Third ave. and Try st., in the city of Pittsburgh, Pa., on Wednesday, the 8th day of October, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of voting for or against an increase of the indebtedness of said company.
JONES & LAUGHLIN STEEL CO.,
By W. C. MORELAND, Secretary.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Edwin Shanks and Charles A. Wise, for the drilling business, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.
EDWIN SHANKS,
CHARLES A. WISE.
Pittsburgh, Pa., September 13, 1902.

DISAPPEARED.

DISAPPEARED—I am looking for my wife, who left me August 21. She goes under the name of Mrs. Magdalena Walter or Deutschy; is 27 years of age; is stout and has black hair; had a new black skirt, white shirtwaist and black hat with red roses. Good remuneration for satisfactory information. Please address 207 Pearl st., Bloomfield.

LEGAL NOTICES.

GEO. N. MONRO, JR., Attorney-at-Law, 422 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh. Court of common pleas No. 2, Allegheny county, state of Pennsylvania. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to said court at No. 607, October term, 1902, on Monday, October 6, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., by William E. Weite, Herman W. Hechelman, J. Chris Lange, Robert T. Reineman, John Milton Duff and other members of the association, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements hereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the Reineman hospital. The said corporation is formed for benevolent and charitable purposes, to-wit: The erecting and maintaining of a hospital, generally, entitled for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the benefits and privileges of said act of assembly, and supplements thereto. The above mentioned is the solicitor and attorney's office. Geo. N. Monro, Jr., Solicitor.

LAW offices of R. B. Ivory and C. G. Kisaddon, eighth floor Peoples Savings bank building. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on the 24th day of September, 1902, by John A. Latshaw, Jr., R. B. Ivory, C. G. Kisaddon, under an act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April

E. W. Harden's New York Business Letter

SHORT MONEY WILL RULE FOR SEVERAL WEEKS

Imports of Gold Will Afford Little Relief to the Small Speculators.

YET STOCKS ARE HELD IN FIRM HANDS.

Even the Political Campaign Is Ignored by Bullish Wall Street. Increase of B. & O. Stock Criticised—Iron Makers' Woes.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Sept. 15.—Although the Wall street community is looking anxiously to Europe for monetary relief in the form of gold imports, none can possibly be got over here in time to help out this week. Gold imports, anyway, are more likely than not to be insignificant as relief. The best banking opinion is that the present stringency is likely to continue for several weeks.

There was some special explanation for the much higher range of call money today. Final payments fell due on subscriptions to the Oregon Short Line bond issue and the banks had to finance the Standard Oil dividend. Both transactions involved extensive shifting and calling of loans. The average price for call money today was 15 per cent. The highest was 20 per cent. In the last few minutes of trading rates were beat down to 3 per cent, but this was done largely for moral effect. Everybody had covered his wants at an average of 15 per cent before the final slump.

Several big operators have been warned by the banks to curtail their speculative commitments. None of the bull pools is doing more than to extend necessary support to certain stocks.

Considering that last Saturday's bank statement showed surplus reserves to have been all but wiped out, and with call money dancing between 15 and 20 per cent for the actual business of the day, the resistance of stocks to outside and professional liquidation could not be called other than satisfactory. There is no evidence anywhere that the big people have been selling their stocks. Even the bears of the Street are embarrassed. The common idea among those who really control the market seems to be to hold a taut rein upon the speculative situation. Commission men are almost without exception are urging their clients to sell on the bulges rather than to buy on the reactions. The public, however, does not stampede easily, and only the weaker accounts have been liquidated.

Wall Street Ignores Politics.

The old line traders, especially those of the bearish room crowd, are much puzzled to account for Wall street's seeming indifference to autumn politics. Hitherto a congressional campaign involving reasonable doubts as to the complexion of the next house of representatives invariably has had its reflection in stocks. The current campaign has seemed not to enter into speculative calculations at all. Perhaps this might be explained by the circumstance that there is no organized bear party to make capital out of politics. Most all political influences, it may be observed, are more or less bearish because they are essentially unsettling. Many persons who are still dubious about the good faith of prevailing stock values allege that the big manipulating interests are ignoring autumn politics deliberately, and, incidentally, are discouraging any discussion of the congressional outlook in so far as it may affect stock values. The extent to which a handful of big operators and big personages control the discussions of the Wall street community is almost incredible.

B. & O. Move Criticized.

A reactionary stock market, no matter the cause upon which the reaction be predicted, inspires a great deal of hostile criticism. Baltimore & Ohio in today's session of the market furnished an example. Last week traders were violently bullish on the stock when it was selling three points higher than its average price today. The news of an increase of the capital stock by $42,500,000 suggested to the bullish mind a vision of fancy subscription rights.

Since Baltimore & Ohio began to gradually sell off from its high point criticism of the stock increase has arisen. It is objected that the Pennsylvania people are creating capital too fast. It is replied that the increase of Baltimore & Ohio stock is not capital earnings or present prosperity, but to cover the cost of extraordinary improvements, from which the property will derive greater earning power. But Baltimore & Ohio was heavily sold today. Professional traders seemed to be skeptical about the ability of the Hawley-Davis bull party to carry its program. Pennsylvania sold off sharply in sympathy with the decline of Baltimore & Ohio. The price that is understood originally to have been contemplated by the Hawley-Davis crowd for Baltimore & Ohio is 130. The coterie composing this Hawley-Davis party rarely falls down with a speculative task.

Woes of the Iron Maker.

Archer Brown of the firm of Rogers, Brown & Co. had the following to say concerning the iron situation:

The troubles of the pig iron maker these days go far to offset his supposed triumphs. Between labor troubles, transportation problems and short fuel supplies, he finds products are running down, in quality and quantity, and his life on the whole rather wearisome. The wretched anthracite strike drags along with no real promise of early settlement. The situation in the Virginias is improved by shifting of the coal strike there, but it will take weeks to get mines and coke ovens back into normal operation. Generally speaking, the eastern country is drawing the curtain on iron supply from Scotland, England and Germany. Furnacemen dislike to see such considerable quantities of foreign material coming in, recognizing as it does that their orders should come down for lack of raw materials.

The Chicago correspondent of Rogers, Brown & Co. writes:

To those who have not been forehanded in laying in their supply of iron and coke, or have been disappointed in deliveries, the outlook is by no means a pleasant one for melting. The one ray of light is the practical settlement of the labor troubles in the Virginia and West Virginia coal districts and the approach to an end of the anthracite strike. Just at present, however, conditions are discouraging. In addition to the scarcity of ready delivery iron which has prevailed for some time, plans have been set by the forged basing of many furnaces which are not sufficiently supplied with coke by the operators with whom they have contracted. In this particular territory several furnaces are banked, and more will follow unless conditions improve. Foreign iron is being offered freely, and consumers willing to pay the prices quoted are experiencing no difficulty in securing sufficient supply.

Coming Malleable Iron Combine.

Rapid progress is being made in the matter of forming a combination of the leading malleable iron concerns of the country. An interest identified with the project today said details would be made public in a few weeks. It is said there will be about a dozen constituent properties.

Rival Copper Estimates.

Dr. Ledoux's widely quoted figures intended to show that the surplus of copper in this country is only about 120,000,000 pounds, has incited H. L. Casey to make further bearish contributions to the already voluminous copper literature of the period. He estimates that Dr. Ledoux's statements are sheer rot, put out to inveigle people into buying copper shares. Casey estimates the copper surplus at more than 225,000,000 pounds. The two estimators arrive at their conclusions by different processes. Dr. Ledoux simply learned from producers the amounts of their surplus on hand and added the figures. Casey figures exports and imports and production and consumption for three years back.

E. W. HARDEN.

CLOSING BOND PRICES.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	104½	L. & N. unified 4s	101⅝
Do coupon	106⅜	Mexican Cen. 4s	87¼
U. S. 3s, reg.	106⅝	Do 1st inc.	31¼
Do coupon	107	Mini. & St. L. 4s	94½
U. S. new 4s, reg.	136¼	M., K. & T. 4s	95⅝
Do coupon	137⅛	Do 2ds	84⅝
U. S. old 4s, reg.	110	N. Y. 1sts	107⅜
Do coupon	110	N. Y. gen. 7s	131½
U. S. 5s, reg.	105	N. J. C. gen. 5s	135½
Do coupon	105	North. Pac. 4s	104⅜
Atchison gen. 4s	104⅜	Do 3s	74½
Do adj.	96⅜	Nor. & W. con. 4s	100⅝
Balti. & Ohio 4s	104⅜	Reading gen. 4s	99⅜
Do 3½s	95	St. L. & I. M. con. 5s	117½
Do Conv. 4s	114⅛	St. L. & S. F. 4s	101
*Can. Sou. 2ds	108	St. L. & S. W. 1sts	99½
Cent. Pac. of Cal. 6s	110	Do 2ds	84⅝
Do 1st Inc.	82	S. A. & A. P. 4s	88
Ches & Ohio 4½s	108½	South. Pacific 4s	94
Chi. & Alton 7½s	81½	Southern Ry. 5s	120¾
C., B. & Q. 4s	97⅝	Do con. 5s	107⅝
C., M. & St. P. gen. 4s	112⅜	T., S. L. & W. 4s	83⅝
C. & N. con. 7s	137	Union Pacific 4s	105
C., R. I. & P. 4s	100	Do Conv. 4s	111½
C., C., C. & St. L. gen. 4s	102	Wabash 1sts	119¾
Colo. Term. 4s	85½	Do 2ds	109
Col. & Sou. 4s	94	Do Deb. B	84⅝
D. & R. G. 4s	102	West Shore 4s	114½
Erie prior lien 4s	95⅝	W. Va. Cent. 6s	124
Do general 4s	86⅞	Wiscon. Cent. 4s	95½
Fl. W. & D. C. 1st 5s	114	Con. Tobacco 4s	67
Rock. Val. 4½s	109		

*Offered.

Supplementary New York Stocks.

(By Private Wire to The Gazette.)

STOCKS.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sales.			
500 American Bicycle	21⅞	2	21⅞
500 American G. Twine	59⅞	56⅝	58⅞
1300 Ann Arbor pfd	72½	70	70
1700 Brooklyn R. T.	68⅝	67⅝	68½
700 Butterick	53⅞	52¼	52¼
1200 Chi. Pneu. Tran. pfd.	41⅞	40½	41¼
1500 Chicago Union Trac.	18⅝	18	18⅛
500 Corn Products	34¼	34	34½
1700 Detroit Sou. Ry. pfd.	44¾	43	43⅜
200 Dist. of America	4⅛	4¼	4⅜
100 Dist. of America pfd.	61	61	61
300 General Electric	182½	181½	181½
800 Hocking Valley	99	96¾	99
400 Internat. Paper	17⅜	16⅞	17⅛
200 Int. Paper pfd.	75	75	75
200 Internat. Pump	84	83	83
2000 K. C. Southern	37⅜	36	37½
2000 Mexican C. & M.	62	61	61½
2000 Nat. R. R. of Mex.	20¾	20⅜	20⅛
100 N. Y. Airbrake	185	185	185
1100 Pacific Coast	80½	79	79
900 Pressed Steel Car	53¼	52	52
1300 St. J. & G. I.	23½	22¾	22¾
800 Sloss	79	76	77
100 U. Bag & Paper	15¾	15⅛	15⅛
200 U. Bag & Paper pfd.	75½	74	74
2900 Va. Car. Chem.	70½	69⅝	70½
200 Westing. Elec. Mfg.	228	227	227

Philadelphia Stocks.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 15.—The closing bids were as follows:

Penn. Railroad	82½	Tidewater Steel	6¾
Phil. Rapid T.	68	Cambria Steel Co.	27⅝
Union Traction	47¾	Elec. Co. of Amer.	9¼
Elec. & Peo. 4s	68½	American Ry.	57½
Con. Trac. N. J.	69	Alkali	9¼
Con. Trac. Phila.	207	Phila. Gas	73
Storage common	8⅝	Phila. Co.	49¾
Do pfd.	87	Railways General	6
Marsdon	4½	Lehigh Valley	85⅝
Phil. Electric	5⅝	Reading pfd.	73¾
United Gas Imp.	112¾	Powder	10

Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 15.—Spirits turpentine steady at 45½c. Rosin steady at $1 10@1 15. Crude turpentine firm at $1 40, $2 50 and $2 65. Tar firm at $1 50.

SAVANNAH, GA., Sept. 15.—Turpentine firm at 45½@45⅝c. Rosin firm. Quote: A, B, C, D, $1 07½; E, $1 07½; F, $1 22½; G, $1 25; H, $1 40; I, $1 45; K, $2 40; M, $2 60; N, $3 55; W. G, $3 55; W. W, $3 85.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Sept. 15.—Turpentine and rosin unchanged.

Tight Money Causes a Drop in the Stocks in Wall Street

SLIGHT RALLY COMES LATER NEAR CLOSING

Outside Money Comes Into Market and Is Quickly Loaned at 15 Per Cent.

LOCAL BANKS HOLD OUT FOR MORE.

Oregon Short Line Deal One Bad Feature, but Large Sum Is Turned Back Later in the Day. Talk of Gold Imports.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Sept. 15.—Today's stock market showed itself very sensitive to the money situation and the price movements throughout the day were closely related to the developments in the money market. The firm opening in the stock market was obviously due to the hope that the measures of relief announced by the secretary of the treasury would result in forcing down the rate for call loans. The opening rate of 15 per cent counteracted this influence and induced a general spilling over of stocks all around the room. Money lenders reported that the funds offered at 15 per cent were mostly for account of out-of-town institutions. Several millions reported shipped from Chicago on Saturday were presumably included in these funds. Meantime, the local banks were holding for a 20 per cent rate, which some of them got later in the day when the out-of-town supply had been absorbed. When the demand for loans had been satisfied, some of these banks found themselves with funds still on hand, which they offered in the market and helped to break the rate to 6 per cent. The maturity of a $15,000,000 installment on subscriptions to the Oregon Short Line bonds issue greatly aggravated the situation, and necessitated considerable calling and shifting of loans. At the time the previous similar installment was paid, the funds were immediately reloaned at the stock exchange, and the presumptionists thus warranted that the same thing was done today.

Accounts for Late Supply.

This would account for the large supply of money which came into the market late in the day. The small requirements left unsatisfied at the time emphasized the weakness. The sharp decline in sterling exchange encouraged the hope that the engagements of gold for import are near at hand, the rate for sterling at the close being within a small fraction of the point at which gold imports are reckoned profitable. Posted rates for sterling 60-day bills were twice reduced, bringing the price down a full cent in the pound while for demand sterling the posted rate was marked down ½ cent. The London money rate was not affected, but the stock market there was disturbed by a fear that the Bank of England would advance its minimum discount rate this week in order to help divert New York's demand for gold upon Paris, which is generally believed to be best equipped at present to meet the demand. The stock market closed without any actual engagement being announced. The low prices of the day in the stock market followed closely upon the 20 per cent rates for money, and the late easing in the money rate resulted in a substantial rally, which wiped out earlier losses in a number of important stocks, but still left fractional net losses in the majority of cases.

No Danger of Money Crisis.

No one is heard to express any apprehension that there is danger of a money crisis in commercial or industrial affairs, but the outlook for speculative borrowers for the purpose of holding securities on margin is believed to be somewhat clouded. The point is made that the recent depletion of New York bank reserves is largely on account of sub-treasury requirements, due to heavy customs payments and not on account of interior demand for money. This would indicate that the heaviest demand from the interior is yet to come. It is pointed out, also, that the present stress for funds centers very largely about the stock exchange, and is local to New York. The plan of relief of the treasury department will be widely scattered in respect to the incrcase of government deposits. Previous experience has shown that offers to pay government interest in advance are not largely availed of, even in periods of actual stringency. The general opinion this evening was that the best hope of relief for the money market lay in the prospects of gold imports. An upward movement in sugar was a slightly sustaining influence in today's weak market.

Bonds moved narrowly in sympathy with stocks. Total sales, par value, $3,050,000. Government bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

New York Curb Stocks.

Henry Sproul & Co. furnish the following closing bids on active stocks traded in on the "curb," or outside the New York stock exchange:

Amer. Can. com.	13	N. Ams. Gas 5s	112
Do pfd.	82½	Northern Secur.	114
Am. E. Railroad	1	N. Y. E. Y. Trans	11¾
Bay State Gas	1⅝	Otis Elev. com.	42
Brit. Columbia Cop.	5⅛	Do pfd.	102½
Brook. Ferry Co.	14	Royal R. P. pfd.	100¼
Electric Boat Co.	25	Sen. A. L. com.	82
Do pfd.	40	Do pfd.	51¼
Elec. Vehicle com.	7	Standard Oil	629
Do pfd.	15½	Tennessee Copper	17
Man. Transit.	7	Union Copper	3⅝
Greene Cons. Cop.	27½	United Copper	59
International Salt	8⅝	White Knob Cop.	18

Chicago Stocks.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Stocks dull. Close:

American Can.	14¼	Nat. Biscuit pfd.	104½
Do preferred	54	South Side Elev.	114
Chicago Tel.	174⅝	Swift & Co.	105
Diamond Match Co.	134	Am. Sug. com.	128
United B. B. com.	13½	Quaker Oats pfd.	92½
Do preferred	62½	W. Chi. St. R. R.	90
Nat. Biscuit com	47⅜		

NEW YORK PRICES.

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Close
45200	A., T. & S. Fe	94⅝	94⅝	93	93⅞
11500	Do preferred	104¼	104¼	102⅛	103
	Am. Cotton Oil	52	52	52	51½
	Do preferred				95⅝
31800	Am. Sugar Ref.	129½	131⅛	129⅝	130
1800	Am. Locomotive	32¾	33⅝	32¾	32¾
400	Am. Steel Hoop	36½	36½	35⅝	35⅝
1200	Am. Car Foundry	34⅝	34⅞	34½	34⅝
200	Do preferred	90⅝	90⅝	90⅜	90⅝
11800	Amalgm. Copper	68⅝	68⅞	68	68¼
200	American Coal	107	107	105⅜	106
1400	Am. Smelt & Ref.	46⅞	47	46⅜	46⅝
	Do preferred	96⅝	96⅝	96½	96
	American Ice	11⅜	11⅜	11⅛	11
	Do preferred	82	82	78½	78½
586000	Balt. & Ohio	115⅜	115⅝	113⅝	114
1300	Do preferred	97½	97½	97	97⅜
4400	Brook. Rap. Tr.	68⅜	68⅝	67⅜	67⅝
12500	Canadian Pacific	140⅝	141	139¼	139¾
6000	Chi. Gt. West.	24	24	23¾	23⅞
1000	Consolidated Gas	222½	222½	222	222½
200	C., C., C. & St. L.	103⅞	103⅞	104	104⅜
4800	Chic. & Ohio	56	56⅛	54⅝	55⅞
1600	Chicago & Alton	41¼	41½	41⅜	41½
100	Do preferred	75⅞	75⅞	75⅜	75⅜
900	Chicago & N. W.	232½	233⅜	232⅜	234
1700	Chicago Gt. West.	37⅝	38	37⅜	37⅝
1200	Colorado South.	24	24	23	23⅜
200	Do 1st pfd.	75⅜	75⅜	75½	75
2800	Do 2nd pfd.	52	52¼	51	51
	Del., Lack. & W.				254
17000	Erie	41⅛	41⅝	40⅜	41⅜
1200	Do 1st pfd.	70¾	70¾	69⅞	70
200	Do 2nd pfd.	55⅜	55⅜	55¼	55⅜
1200	Great Northern pfd.	192	192	190½	190⅝
7400	Illinois Central	171⅜	171⅜	169½	169⅝
400	Iowa Central	48	48¾	48	48¾
200	Do preferred	83	83	83	83½
4800	Int. Paper	17	17⅛	16⅞	17
500	*Do preferred	73¾	73¾	72¾	73
	L. E. & W.				65
	Do preferred				120
11500	Louis. & Nash.	154	154½	152⅛	153⅞
13800	Manhattan	135	135⅝	134	134⅞
42400	Missouri Pacific	121⅜	122	119⅝	120⅝
1800	M., K. & T.	67⅜	68	66⅞	67½
3500	Metropolitan	147	147	146	146⅝
600	Mexican Central	28⅜	28⅝	28⅛	28⅜
200	National Lead	24	24	24	24
	Do preferred	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
	National Biscuit				45
	Do preferred				120
7500	N. Y. Central	165½	165⅝	162⅞	165⅛
5400	N. Y., O. & W.	45⅞	46⅛	45⅛	45⅝
15100	Norfolk & West.	73¾	73¾	74	73⅞
	Do preferred				93½
300	North Amer. Co.	125	125	123	123
	Omaha				162
2700	Pac. Mail & C. Co.	104½	104½	103¾	104¼
400	Pacific Mail	44⅝	44⅝	43⅝	44
800	Pressed Steel Car	53½	53½	52⅝	52
	Do preferred				85½
23300	Penna. R. R.	167	167	165	166⅝
	P., C. & St. L.				100½
	Railway Springs	34½	34½	33⅝	34
	Do preferred	88½	88½	87¾	87¾
25300	Reading	74⅜	74⅝	72⅝	73⅝
	1st pfd.	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
500	Do 2d pfd.	79¼	79¼	78¼	78¾
2100	Rock Island	100	100⅛	97½	98⅝
5800	Republic Iron	23	23½	22	22½
	Do preferred	82½	82½	81¾	81¾
1400	St. L. & S. F.	79¾	80	79⅛	79⅝
	Do 1st pfd.				85
200	Do 2d pfd.	71	71	70½	70½
2870	Southern Pacific	74⅛	74⅝	73¼	73⅝
	Southern Railway	37⅞	38	37⅜	37⅝
	Do preferred	94⅜	94⅜	93¾	93¾
100	Tennessee Coal & Iron	70	70	68	69½
8000	Texas & Pacific	52⅜	52⅝	51½	52
2000	T., St. L. & W.	20	20	20	20
500	Do preferred	45½	47⅛	45	44⅜
13200	U. S. Steel	40⅞	40⅞	40	40⅜
7500	Do preferred	91⅝	92⅜	89⅝	89⅝
4700	Union Pacific	110	110⅝	108⅜	109⅝
34000	U. S. Leather	12½	12⅝	12	12⅛
	U. S. Rubber	12	12½	12	12
600	U. S. Leather pfd.	13½	13½	13½	13½
*900	Wabash	37⅛	37⅜	35¾	37
	Do preferred	52⅞	53⅛	51¾	52⅜
2500	W. U. Telegraph	93⅜	94	93	93⅝
1500	W. & L. E.	29½	29½	28½	29
	Do 1st pfd.	64¼	64½	64¼	64½
600	Do 2d pfd.	41	41	40¼	40¾
1200	Wheeling & Lake Erie	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝
500	Do preferred	53⅜	54	53⅜	54
	Wisconsin Central	18⅝	18⅝	15⅝	15
	Do preferred				55½
	Kanawha & Mich.				40
	Com. Products	34¼	34½	34	34
	Do preferred	86⅝	86⅝	86½	86⅝
800	Hocking Valley	97½	99	96¾	98½
100	Do preferred	94¼	94¼	94¼	95

*Ex-dividend.

Boston Stocks.

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—Stocks closed:

Atchison	63⅝	American Sugar	130
Do preferred	102⅜	Do preferred	120
Boston & Albany	260	Am. Tel. & Tel	170½
Boston & Maine	196	Dom. Iron & Steel	72⅜
Fitchburg	138	Do preferred	96
N. Y., N. H. & H.	238	United Fruit	114½
Union Pacific	109⅜	U. S. Steel	40¾
Mexican Central	28½	Do preferred	99⅞

Chicago Stocks.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Stocks closed:

American Sugar	130	Do preferred	120
Am. Tel. & Tel	170½	Dom. Iron & Steel	72⅜
Do preferred	96	United Fruit	114½
U. S. Steel	40¾	Do preferred	99⅞

Talked About in Wall Street

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The Herald this (Tuesday) mornings says: Prices yielded in Wall street yesterday, as was to be expected, in view of the unsatisfactory monetary situation. Professional sentiment, however, underwent little if any change, and the distinguishing characteristic of the market was strength, in the face of advance developments, rather than weakness.

While prices declined the extent of the reaction was but trifling when measured by that of the recent advances. The late recovery from the low level was easily influenced and was brought about on limited transactions, in which short covering by traders was the predominating influence. The dealings of the day were of a purely professional character, except for some slow liquidation by the inside public.

The course of the money market was really in the direction of stringency despite the contradictory movement in rates. Following the unfavorable showing of Saturday most borrowers sought to provide themselves with funds early in the day, and the highest rates were scored between the opening and 1 o'clock. Thereafter there appeared to be a more plentiful supply of funds, and the closing rate was 3 per cent.

It would be unfortunate if Wall street believed that this figure represented anything like conditions. On the contrary, time money worked distinctly closer and when lenders put out funds at all on time 6 per cent was the rate.

London prices came higher and foreigners bought on balances, but the dealings were regarded as purely speculative and were thought to have originated entirely in New York. Cable advices reported the foreign markets as dull and reactionary, and the course of prices abroad was attributed almost entirely to local money market movements. Foreign bankers explained that this was not remarkable in view of the enormous amount of money which foreigners are loaning in this country. The fear of the foreigners found expression in the refusal of a number of foreign houses to renew maturing American loans.

One of the weakest features of the list was Baltimore & Ohio, the foundation coming evidently from the pool, which had the stock up on the knowledge of the new stock increase. At one time it sold fully five points under the price prevailing when the news of the $42,000,000 stock increase was made public.

The industrials moved very much as did the rest of the market. The steel trust shares were particularly weak in the morning, selling at 40 for the common and 89⅝ for the preferred. Smelters held firm and the independent steel and iron stocks were affected more or less by the decline in the shares of the steel trust.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Coffee futures opened steady with prices 5 to 10 points higher on better European cables than on the local closing of Saturday and on a little foreign and local covering demand. Business was dull, however, throughout the session. In the morning Wall street and Havre operators connections were buying moderately, while tobacconists and certain spot houses were selling. There was little outside interest in the market, commission houses reporting almost a dearth of orders. The crop news continued to be conflicting and nothing definite was learned respecting the actual situation. The market closed steady, 5@15 points net 10 to 15 higher and the total sales footing up 26,250 bags, including September, 5.20@5.25c; December, 5.45@5.50c; March, 5.60@5.70c; May, 5.80@5.85c; July, 5.95@6.00c. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c; Molasses sugar, 2⅝c. Refined steady; No. 7, 4.15c; No. 8, 4.05c; No. 9, 4.00c; No. 10, 3.95c; No. 11, 3.90c; No. 12, 3.90c; No. 13, 3.85c.

Elgin Butter Market.

ELGIN, ILL., Sept. 15.—Butter advanced 2c on the board of trade today, 3,000 pounds were offered with 22c bid; no sales; the market was declared firm at 22c; sales of the week, 994,000 pounds.

Electric Stocks.

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—Electrical stocks closed: West. com. ....118 | Mass. Electric.... 38
General Electric 181 | Do preferred.... 90½

NEWS FROM THE MINES

(By Private Wire to The Gazette.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Large bodies of ore have been exposed in the Golden Dream at Monticello, Utah. Assays show from $17 to $70 a ton. The Little King is sinking on a five-foot vein of heavy mineralized quartz, in which considerable wire silver abounds.

The Samson at Bingham, Utah, has tapped the ore channel, assays from the first shot returning 10 per cent copper, 26 ounces silver and $1 29 gold per ton.

A rich strike is reported in the Homestead, near Silver lake, San Juan county, Col. The lead is 18 inches wide and shows sylvanite and free gold. Assays run $600 to the ton.

Citizens of Madison, Wis., have bought the Great Rambler copper mine in the Douglass creek district, Wyo. The price was $300,000.

The Taurus Company has secured an option on a mill and water right at Taurus, Col., and will erect a 50-ton smelter for the reduction of Genesse ore.

Cincinnati capitalists are negotiating for the Carbonate group, near Aspen, Col. In a four-foot crevice there is a good grade of mill dirt and bunches of solid ore that assay up to $52 gold a ton.

W. Marcellus Smith, of Denver, has closed a deal with Cleveland people for the treasury stock of the North Pole Extension Company, which controls a fine free milling gold property in Oregon. The price is quoted at $100,000.

Rich pockets of ore have been found in the American Kootenai, Fisher district, Mont. Two smelts of the ore are reported, 1,000 pounds.

A big strike is reported in the Hillside, on Gold hill, Cripple creek. In a drift run at a depth of 250 feet a small seam of high-grade ore has widened to eight feet, which assays $1500 a ton without sorting.

The Metal Market.

Tin was again weak and lower in all markets under weight of actual supplies. Prices in New York lost about 25 points, closing at $26.30@26.70 for spot, while in London there was a decline of £2 10s, which placed the closing figures at £122 10s for spot and £117 10s for futures. Copper, like tin, was easier, the London quotations declining 2s 6d to £58 9s for spot and to £53 15s 9d for futures. New York closing prices were: Lake, 11.75@12.12½c; electrolytic, 11.25@11.50c; casting, 11.75@11.80c. Lead was quiet and unchanged here and in London, closing at 4½c and at £10 18s respectively. Spelter also was quiet and unchanged, closing at £18 7s 6d in the London market and $4.50 bid locally. Iron at Glasgow was unchanged at 58s 3d and a shade lower at Middlesboro at 53s 7½d. The local iron market was quiet and steady. Warrants continue nominal at $23. 1 foundry northern is quoted at $23 00@25 00; No. 2 foundry northern, $22 00@23 00; No. 1 foundry southern, soft, $22 00@23 00.

Boston Copper Mining Stocks.

A. E. Masten & Co., 308 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, furnish the following closing bids of copper and mining stocks in Boston:

Atlantic	30¼	Mohawk	59
Adventure	17⅜	Old Dominion	17⅜
Amalgamated	68⅛	Old Colony	18½
Arcadian	4⅝	Parrot	28⅝
Calumet & Hecla	530	Quincy	150
*Black Diamond	5	Range Consol	58½
Bingham	30¼	Rhode Island	2⅜
*Calumet & Aria	70	Shawmut	22½
Calumet & Hecla	500	Swift	162
*Calumet & Pgh	40	Trimountain	54½
Elm River	2⅝	Trinity	11¾
Franklin	10⅛	Tamarack	155
Kearsarge	7⅜	Union Fruit	114⅝
Kl. & F. D. Devel	4⅛	Utah	21¾
Mass	17¼	U. S. Mining	21⅞
Mohawk	46½	Victoria	5⅝
Michigan	11½	Wolverine	60
Montreal & Bos	3⅝	Winona	4⅛

New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Mining stocks closed:

Adams Con	.20	Little Chief	.11
Alice	.20	Ontario	8.50
Breese	.01	Ophir	1.75
Brunswick Con.	.07	Phoenix	.06
Comstock Tunnel	.05½	Potosi	.16
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.15	Savage	.07
Horn Silver	1.35	Sierra Nevada	.35
Iron Silver	.75	Small Hopes	.35
Leadville Con.	.03	Standard	3.30

IN THE OIL FIELDS

The Folsom district, on Ten Mile run, Wetzel county, W. Va., made a good start with new wells yesterday.

The South Penn Oil Company has completed its No. 17 on the Genine Robinson tract and has a 125-barrel producer. No. 18 on the same tract has been drilled in and produced 120 barrels the first 24 hours. The same company has completed a test on the Abe Ice farm and has a producer good for 150 barrels a day.

The same company has drilled test wells on the Michael Manim and Smith-Dye farms into the stray above the Gordon and has developed strong gas pressures in each.

On the east side of the lower end of the Folsom district the Leimer Oil Company has drilled its test on the Alva Ice farm into the first pay in the Gordon and the well is producing 60 barrels a day.

In the Conway district, Tyler county, the Philadelphia Company has drilled its test on the Peter Turner farm through the Gordon and has a light gasser.

West of Blacksville, Greene county, John L. Dunn & Co. have completed a test on the Joseph Murray farm and have a 5-barrel pumper.

The gauge of the 12 wells on Big Knot run yesterday morning was 2,650 barrels for the 24 hours ending at 6 o'clock.

Mallory Bros. shot their No. 3 on the John Freeland farm yesterday and increased its production to 20 barrels an hour.

Fox & Crawford struck oil in the sand with a test on the E. E. Holland farm and the Three Joes Oil Company is due at its No. 2 on the M. L. Gurell farm. The same company is due in the sand this week at its No. 6 on the Elroy Wagner farm.

On Wolf Pen run, Smith, Wilson & Co.'s No. 2 on the Arnett farm has increased its production to 420 barrels a day.

Another Duster.

In the new salt sand development on the South Fork of Tughes river, Ritchie county, the Federal Oil Company has drilled its test well on the Robert Kennedy farm through the Big Injun sand and has a duster. This well will be drilled to the Berea grit.

On McFarlan creek, Murphy district, the Southern Oil Company has completed its test well on the Charles Campbell farm and has a show for a 10-barrel pumper in the salt sand.

In the same locality the Shawmut Oil Company has completed its No. 4 on the E. Valentine farm and has a 15-barrel producer in the salt sand.

In the Eureka district, Pleasants county, Tate Bros. & Patterson have completed their No. 8 on the J. L. Dye farm and have a show for a 15-barrel producer in the Cow Run sand.

On Grass run, Harrison county, the Southern Oil Company's Nos. 1 and 2 on the Alexander Alley farm are holding up at 175 and 160 barrels a day, respectively. The American Producers Company's No. 1, Ritter & O'Day Bros & Gartlan's No. 3 Custer are holding up at 150 and 100 barrels a day, respectively.

Van Wormer & Parks' No. 2 on the G. W. Williams farm is holding up at 325 barrels a day. In the same locality the Associated Producers Company is drilling No. 2 on the A. Williams farm to the fifth sand. This well was a duster in the Gordon

Local Stocks Were Less Active and Prices Generally Somewhat Heavy

THE PLUNGERS MAINTAIN THE BANKING BOOM

Future Earning Capacity Is More Than Discounted by Present Prices.

WINDOW GLASS WEAKER AT THE CLOSE.

Westinghouse Electric Seconds and Airbrake Both Declined. Steel Shares Easier—Brewing Common Reacted—Bonds Dull.

The market on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday was less active than it has been for some days, and prices outside of the banking group were inclined to work lower. This was probably due to the money situation in the east, which, to put it mildly, does not look at all promising for the near future. Of course, it will work all right after awhile, but in the meantime it may make things pretty uncomfortable for the ordinary speculator. Pittsburgh sympathizes with Wall street in all that concerns the welfare of the stock market, at least, and so, naturally, the general list suffered here, the close being at about the poorest of the day.

The banking group continued to be the feature of the market, as it has been for a week or more. Four members made new high records in the selling prices and one in the bids. As a rule, all closed strong and at or near the best prices on record. Federal National advanced ½ to 142 sales and finished at 143 bid, with no offers under 142. Allegheny Trust Company sold a small lot at 153, a gain of $5. Commonwealth Real Estate & Trust Company at $240, Union Trust Company at $1,650 and Pittsburgh Trust Company at $725 were firm and unchanged. Colonial Trust Company opened at $595, jumped to $600, broke to $585 and closed with the sale of eight shares at $590, a gain of $15 for the day. After the last sale, however, regular lots offered at $585, with $580 the best bid. Fidelity Title & Trust Company sold a small lot at $570, an advance of $10, and North American Savings Company was $1 higher at $105 for 10 shares, while Real Estate Trust Company closed $6 higher at $290 50. The four last named all made new high records. In the quotations Dollar Savings Fund & Trust Company of Allegheny also scored a new high record price by advancing to $278 bid. The movement in the banking issues, which has been going on for some two or three weeks at furious rate, has caused many rumors of various combinations, etc., but by the officials of the concerns themselves is attributed to a mere adjustment of market values in proportion to the prices hitherto paid for the different institutions. If some were worth certain figures others were too low, etc., is the argument. As a matter of fact, it is probably due largely to speculation, the public "coming in," as the saying goes, when the bull fever starts in the group. There is no doubt as to the intrinsic value of the local banking concerns, but it is questionable whether or not the plunging that has been going on for so long will not prove detrimental hereafter. Many of the officials of the leading corporations deplore the prices to which their stocks have been pushed. It is a big discount of the future earning capacity which might be upset by a period materially less prosperous than that now prevailing. Book values and market values seem to have parted company, while fixed capital and the capital based on exchange prices is further away than ever. Five of the leading local institutions have a par value capital of $6,150,0000, but according to the values given this by the plungers upon the stock exchange yesterday it is worth in the neighborhood of $50,000,000. The value of the stock of one corporation was shoved up $300,000 in an hour yesterday. Another was boosted $120,000 in a few moments, while still another jumped $100,000, a total advance in the market values of three institutions in an hour or so of more than half a million dollars. Did the combined earning capacity of the three justify such appreciation? If the business of the community continues as it is, prices paid for the securities may not prove so reckless in the long run, for doubtless the institutions of which they are made up are earning reasonable dividends on the total, but anything that would unsettle the prevailing prosperity of the country might prove a terrible boomerang. These increases are those of a day, but the figures grow alarmingly when the record of the past month is gone over. Jumps of from $5 to $150 a share, and more, have been frequent. They are marks of great confidence in the institutions affected, but are certainly long shots into the future for returns.

In the industrial list Window Glass common was the most active, but it was also weaker at the close, declining ¾ to 61½ on sales of 1,050 shares. Westinghouse Electric seconds, while fairly active, were also weak and closed lower at 113¾ asked. Westinghouse Airbrake broke $4 to $185. The Steel shares were quiet and easier. Pittsburgh Coal was steady to firm but dull. Brewing common reacted ¼ to 31½ and Pressed Steel Car common was ½ lower at 53½. Bonds were dull but steady.

PITTSBURGH FEATURES.

Bank exchanges gained $1,095,757 79.

Sales Pittsburgh stock exchange 5,536 shares and $8,000 bonds.

Columbia Trust jumped to $600 and closed at 590 sales; offered at 585.

Fidelity Title and Trust made a new high record at $570. Gain $10.

North American Savings scored a new high mark at $105.

Real Estate Trust broke its record by jumping to $299 50.

Electric seconds closed offered at 113¾.

Window Glass common declined to 61¼ and closed at 61½.

Crucible Steel closed at 23 and the preefrred at 87⅞.

United States Steel closed at 40⅛.

Westinghouse Airbrake broke $4 to $185.

Pittsburgh Coal closed at 30¾ and the preferred at 91½.

Fire Proofing issues were dull.

The following is a complete summary of yesterday's official transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange. It shows the change in the closing selling prices, compared with the last preceding sales; the total sales of each security, the opening, high, low and closing prices and final bids and offers:

SECURITIES.	Total Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	Bid.	Ask.	Ch'gs.
Federal National Bank	50	141½	142	141½	142	143	145	½+
Allegheny Trust Co	5	155	155	155	155	150	165	5+
Colonial Trust Company	170	595	*600	585	$590	580	585	15 +
Com. Real Estate & Trust Company	60	240	240	240	240	....	240	0
Fidelity Title & Trust Company	2	....	*570	570	570	....	570	10 +
North American Savings Company	10	105	*105	105	105	104	....	1+
Pittsburgh Trust Co	15	725	725	725	725	....	....	0
Real Estate Trust Company	102	295	*299½	294½	299½	290	295½	6 +
Union Trust Company	15	1650	1650	1650	1650	1650	....	0
Consolidated Gas preferred	4	45	45	45	45	45	47	0
Westinghouse Electric firsts	100	114	114	114	114	114	114½	0
Do seconds	615	114¾	114¾	114	114	113	113¾	0 —
American Window Glass common	1,050	62¾	62¾	61¼	61½	61¾	62	¾ —
United States Glass preferred	2	140	140	140	140	....	....	4 —
Consolidated Ice	33	13½	13¾	13½	13½	13	15½	½ —
Do preferred	36	38½	38½	38¼	38½	38	39	¼+
Crucible Steel	465	23	23	22¾	23	22¾	23⅛	⅛ —
Do preferred	285	88	88	87⅞	87⅞	87	88	⅛ —
United States Steel common	900	40¾	40⅞	40¼	40¼	40¼	40⅛	⅛ —
National Fire Proofing	85	30⅜	31	30⅜	31	31	....	⅛ —
Do preferred	10	91½	91½	91½	91½	91½	....	½ —
Manufacturers Light & Heat	20	78½	78½	78½	78½	78	78½	½+
Monongahela River Coal preferred	175	41¾	41¾	41	41	40⅞	41¾	⅛ —
Pittsburgh Coal	440	30½	30⅝	30½	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝	⅛+
Do preferred	40	91½	91½	91½	91½	91½	91⅝	0 —
Pittsburgh Brewing	190	31⅜	31⅜	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛	31½	⅛ —
Do preferred	30	47½	47½	47½	47½	47½	47⅝	0 —
Pressed Steel Car common	40	53½	53½	53½	53½	....	....	½ —
Westinghouse Airbrake	167	188	188	185	185	185	....	4 —
Total	5,536							
Monongahela River Coal 6s	$5,000	116½	116½	116½	116½	116¼	116¾	0
Pittsburgh Brewing Company 6s	3,000	112½	112½	112½	112½	112	112½	0
Total	$8,000							

*New high record. $Less than 9 shares.

FINANCIAL DRIFT.

Masten was a seller of Fire Proofing common.

Holmes was the seller of Union Trust Company.

Near the close Kuhn bid 185 for 25 Westinghouse Airbrake.

McMullin was the principal seller of Westinghouse Airbrake.

Four new high records were made in the first morning selling prices.

Whitney & Stephenson bought River Coal 6s at 116½ and sold Brewing 6s at 112½.

Robinson Bros. bought Westinghouse Electric seconds. They sold the firsts to Schoyer.

Sproul & Co. were prominent sellers of Westinghouse Electric seconds. Barbour also sold.

Preston, Watt & Schoyer were sellers of Real Estate Trust and Crucible Steel preferred.

Hall and Miller were sellers of Window Glass common. Hill, Masten and Barbour bought.

Robinson Bros. sold Fidelity Title and Trust Company to Whitney & Stephenson at the record price.

E. D. Gartner & Co. sold North American Savings Company at 105, a new high record, to Lytle & Davis.

The first sale of the day was 5 Crucible Steel preferred at 88 and the last 20 Brewing preferred at 47⅝.

Carothers & Co. were the largest buyers, and Lawrence the largest sellers of Commonwealth Real Estate and Trust Company.

John D. Bailey will offer at auction Tuesday, September 23, at 5:30 p. m., on the Pittsburgh stock exchange a valuable list of securities.

R. C. Hall bought Real Estate Trust Company at the day's lowest point, and sold it at its top price—making $6 a share on the deal of 20 shares.

The first sale of Colonial Trust Company was at 575. Then 15 shares sold at 590, a new high record, and the price declined to 585. The rick bought at the top and Carothers at the bottom.

Robinson Bros. were sellers of Pittsburgh Coal common and United States Steel common. Whitney & Stephenson and Martin also sold Steel common. Hill was a large buyer of the latter.

Deposits in savings banks in the United States in 1820 were $1,138,576, and the number of depositors 8,605; in 1901 the amount of deposits were $4,947,585, and the number 6,107,083; the average sum due each depositor in 1820 was $131 86; in 1901 it was $401 10.

Secretary Shaw has already received assurance from banks that they will deposit $2,500,000 in bonds and receive that much government money. By today it is expected that this amount will be increased from $4,000,000 to $5,000,000. New York national bank depositories are increasing their line of deposits.

It is a fair thing for you to notify your customers that the chances are that interest rates will be very high this week. Inject money here to rule very low for the next 15 days, as for the first part of this month up to the present time rates have been uniformly higher than they have been in a number of years.—Street's Stock News.

In 1854 the number of banks in the New York clearing house was 55, the capital $47,000,000, and the clearings $5,750,465,897; in 1901 the number of banks had only increased to 62, their capital to $82,000,000, while the clearings had increased to $77,020,673,424, the number of banks having thus increased about 25 per cent, the capital about 70 per cent, while the clearings in 1901 were 12 times as much as in 1854.

Wall Street Brokers' "Tips."

Baltimore & Ohio acts very heavy.

There are a good many buying orders just below the market.

When the market gets in shape for a rise copper will be one of the leaders.

There are a number of stocks which look cheap, but we are not advising purchase of stocks until the money market becomes more steeled.

Indications point to a continuation of the high money rate for some time, call loans being made today at 20 per cent. This will undoubtedly have a deterrent effect on the speculation. We are firm believers in Reading, particularly the Seventh Pref., and also hear very bullish talk on Western Union and Amalgamated, but advise our friends to leave the market alone until conditions are more favorable for an advance.—Lounsberry.

A man may buy seven gold too dear. Some stocks are high enough. Until the money market eases up it will pay best to be conservative. The Pacific shares, Missouri, Kansas & Texas, the Southern Railway, Rock Island and Erie will eventually work higher and may be bought and carried for substantial results this fall. Steel, Louisville & Nashville, Illinois Central and Metropolitan Issues are better.—Alton preferred is cheap ex-dividend. The Flower crowd talks bullish on Peoples Gas and Brooklyn Rapid Transit.—Josephs.

PITTSBURGH STOCK EXCHANGE RECORD.

SALES AND QUOTATIONS. MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1902.

The public sales in detail were:

10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.

5 Crucible Steel pfd. 88
55 Crucible Steel pfd. 88
6 Crucible Steel pfd. 88
5 Crucible Steel pfd. 88
50 Crucible Steel pfd. 88
10 Crucible Steel pfd. 88
10 Commonwealth Tr.240
40 Commonwealth Tr.240
10 Commonwealth Tr.240
5 Colonial Trust....595
5 Colonial Trust....600
10 Colonial Trust....600
5 Colonial Trust....595
1 Colonial Trust....595
10 Federal Nat. Bk..141⅔
25 Federal Nat. Bk..142
5 Federal Nat. Bk..142
10 Federal Nat. Bk..142
20 Real Estate Trust.295
10 Real Estate Trust.296
99 West. Elect. 24s..114⅞
50 West. Elect. 24s..114⅞
10 N. F. Proof. com..30⅜
10 N. F. Proof. pfd..39⅝
2 U. S. Glass pfd....140

10:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.

50 West. Elect. 24s..114⅝
99 West. Elect. 24s..114⅝
50 West. Elect. 24s..114⅝
25 West. Elect. 24s..114⅝
25 West. Elect. 24s..114⅝
25 West. Elect. 24s..114
20 West. Elect. 24s..114
125 West. Elect. 24s..114
20 West. Elect. 24s..114
50 West. Elect. 24s..114
50 West. Elect. 24s..114
10 Colonial Trust....595
5 Colonial Trust....595
10 Colonial Trust....595
10 Colonial Trust....590
75 Pgh. Brewing com..31⅜
75 Pgh. Brewing com..31⅜
18 Union Trust....165½
209 Pgh. Coal com....30⅜
25 Pgh. Coal com....30⅜
100 Pgh. Coal com....30⅜
100 A. W. Glass com..62⅝
10 A. W. Glass com..62
50 A. W. Glass com..62½
100 A. W. Glass com..62
10 A. W. Glass com..62
100 A. W. Glass com..62
40 A. W. Glass com..62
10 A. W. Glass com..62
10 A. W. Glass com..62
40 A. W. Glass com..61⅞
50 A. W. Glass com..61⅞
100 U. S. Steel com....40⅜
100 U. S. Steel com....40¼
100 U. S. Steel com....40¼
200 U. S. Steel com....40⅛
5 T. T. & T. Co....570
4 Cons. Gas pfd....45
150 Pgh. Coal pfd....91⅝
20 Pgh. Coal pfd....91¾
25 Crucible Steel pfd. 88
50 Crucible Steel pfd. 88
40 Crucible Steel pfd. 88
50 N. F. Proof. com....31
25 N. F. Proof. com....31
20 Mfrs. L. & Heat..75½
40 P. S. Car com....53½
10 Pgh. Brew. pfd....72
20 Real Estate Trust.294½
10 M. R. Coal pfd....41¾
40 M. R. Coal pfd....41¾
30 Cons. Ice com....15¾
5 Allegheny Trust....153
2 Airbrake Trust....188

12:30 p. m. to 2 p. m.

10 N. Am. Sav Co....105
50 A. W. Glass com..61⅞
100 A. W. Glass com..61⅝
100 A. W. Glass com..61½
100 A. W. Glass com..61½
100 West. Elect. 1st....114
15 Pgh. Coal com....30⅝
10 Colonial Trust....585
10 Colonial Trust....585
50 M. R. Coal pfd....41
10 M. R. Coal pfd....41

20 Crucible Steel pfd. 87½
25 Crucible Steel pfd. 87⅝
10 Pgh. Brew. com....31⅜
5 Pgh. Brew. pfd....47½
500 U. S. Steel com....40¾
100 U. S. Steel com....40¾
5 Pgh. Brewing pfd. 47½
50 West. Airbrake....185
50 West. Airbrake....185

2 p. m. to 3 p. m.

7 Crucible Steel pfd. 88
10 Crucible Steel pfd. 87⅝
85 Crucible Steel com. 23
15 Crucible Steel com. 23
10 Crucible Steel com. 23
50 Crucible Steel com. 23
5 Crucible Steel com. 23
10 Crucible Steel com. 23
100 Crucible Steel com. 23
40 Crucible Steel com. 23
100 Crucible Steel com. 23
50 Crucible Steel com. 23
5 Pgh. Brew. pfd....47⅝
20 Pgh. Brew. pfd....47¾
50 West. Airbrake....185
15 West. Airbrake....185
15 Colonial Trust....585
20 Colonial Trust....585
15 Colonial Trust....590
8 Colonial Trust....590
5 Pgh. Trust....725
10 Real Estate Trust.295
10 Real Estate Trust.295
20 Real Estate Trust.296
2 Real Estate Trust.296
29 Real Estate Trust.295
10 Real Estate Trust.295½
10 Real Estate Trust.295⅞
50 M. R. Coal pfd....41
15 M. R. Coal pfd....41
20 N. F. Proof. pfd. 37½
75 N. F. Proof. pfd. 40
50 Pgh. Coal com....30⅝
60 Pgh. Coal com....30⅝
86 Cons. Ice pfd....85¼
$6,000 Pgh. Brew. 6s....112½
$5,000 M. R. Coal 6s....116½

The total public sales were 5,536 shares of stock and $8,000 bonds; total preceding Monday, 13,189 shares of stock, $4,000 bonds and $80 scrip; total same day last year, 19,295 shares of stock and $1,000 bonds.

Closing bids and offers were:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
STOCKS.			Penna. Trust	251	255	City Rys.	....	....	Pgh. Brew.	31⅜	31⅝
Pgh. Bks.			Pgh. Trust	....	725	Ally. Trac.	45¾	....	Do pfd.	47½	47⅝
Arsenal	140	....	U. D. & T.	102	130	Pleas'nt Val	20½	....	Pgh. Coal	30⅜	30⅝
Bk. of Pgh.	....	139½	Equit. Trust	....	175	A. V. pfds.	....	....	Pgh. S. & R.	5	10
Colum. Nat.	285	300	Real. Est.	200	209½	Electric.	....	....	Phila. Co.	49¾	50
Diam'n Nat.	....	445	Guarantee	148	151	West. Inst.	114	....	Do pfd.	89½	....
Duq. Nat.	....	255	D. S. P. & T.	278	280	Do 2d.	112	113¾	U. S. Cable	215	221
F. D. Nat.	....	1400	Ally. Trust.	120	156	Misc.	....	....	U. S. & S.	....	98
First Nat.	....	700	Insurance.			A. W. Glass	61¾	62	U. S. Glass	35	....
M. & M. Nat.	138	....	Allemannia	....	65	Con Gas pfd.	45	47	West Airbr.	183	....
Mononga. Nat.	135	....	Nat. Union	....	....	Con. Gas	215	217	Exchange	....	120
People's Nat.	390	400	Fort Pitt	80½	....	Do pfd.	88	....	Do pfd.	80½	....
Second Nat.	870	900	N. S. of W. Y.	115	120	Crue. Steel.	....	23¾	U. S. Steel.	40¾	40⅝
U. S. Nat.	143	....	M. Co. & H.	....	78½	Do pfd.	....	87½	BONDS.		
W. End Nat.	....	111½	Missing.	....	....	M. R. Coal	12¾	14⅝	Misc.		
Peo'l Nat.	143	148	Luster	....	14½	Do pfd.	40¾	41½	M.R Coal 6s	116¼	116½
Trust Cos.			Bridges	....	....	Mon. Water	....	42	P. Brew. 6s	112	112½
F. T. & T.	....	570	Nor. S. pfd.	16½	....	Nat'l Glass	....	15			

SHIPMENTS.

Day.	New York.			Phila.			Locals.		
	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.
Monday	2	2	7	1	4	7	45	12	10
Tuesday	1	28	2	2	8	8	48	17	1
Wednesday	..	1	..	..	..	3	21	..	..
Thursday	1	7	..	..	3	14	7	..	..
Friday	..	11	1	2	9	..	2	2	1
Sat. and Sun.	8	25	6	2	2	8	8	8	..
Totals	15	77	16	16	17	18	120	50	15
Last week	24	62	28	31	28	29	114	36	20

SALES.

Day.	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Monday	2,574	7,788	6,165
Tuesday	12	922	85
Wednesday	14	1,244	228
Thursday	....	2,674	150
Friday	7	2,670	1,095
Saturday	....	1,432	80
Totals	2,607	15,547	7,803
Last week	2,205	13,684	9,755

FREIGHT RATES.

Cities.	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses.
Boston	17	18	18	10
New York	17	18	18	20
Philadelphia	15	16	16	28
Baltimore	14	15	15	27

Cattle.

Ninety carloads of cattle were offered for sale at the Central stock yards yesterday, as against 100 last Monday. The tone of the market was much better, but no changes were made in the quotations. A hard market prevailed all last week, stock of all kinds being very high. Receipts fell off considerably but are expected to be much larger this week, as a light week is almost sure to be followed by heavy shipments the next. Great fed cattle are coming in now, which has a tendency to cut prices. Choice, 1,400 to 1,600 lbs, $7 10@7 25; prime, 1,200 to 1,400 lbs, $6 85@7 05; good, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs, $6 60@6 75; tidy, 850 to 1,000 lbs, $6 25@6 50; fair, 900 to 1,000 lbs, $4 90@5 50; heifers, 700 to 1,100 lbs, $3 00@5 00; cows, bulls and stags, $3 00@4 75; good fresh cows, $40 00@60 00; common to fair, $20 00@35 00.

Hogs.

Fewer hogs arrived in the stock yards than last Monday, only 40 double-deck carloads being unloaded yesterday. The demand is good and the market is more active, with prices higher. Prime heavies and best mediums went up 20 cents and Yorkers were quoted 10 cents a hundred higher. Prime heavies, 88 150@8 25; best mediums, 88 00@8 05; best light Yorkers, 87 75@7 80; pigs, $7 40@7 50; roughs, $6 00@7 50.

Sheep and Lambs.

The supply of sheep is light and the market active. Prices on the best grades average from 15 to 25 cents higher than last Monday. A total of 1,500 were sold last week, about 2,000 less than the preceding week. Veals made a big advance on the best grades being quoted at $8 00@8 50. Best wethers, 50 to 100 lbs, $4 25@4 35, good, 85 to 90 lbs, $7 75@4 00; mixed, 75 to 85 lbs, $3 00@3 50; culls and common, $1 50@2 00; choice lambs, $5 75@6 00; common to good, $4 00@5 50; veal calves, heavy and thin, $4 00@5 00.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

EAST BUFFALO, Sept. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,400 head; good to choice steers strong; butchers' grades, 10@15c higher; common and medium grades steady; prime steers, $7 25@7 50; choice, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs, steers, $6 50@7 00; fair to good, $5 50@6 25; choice, 1,000 to 1,150 lbs., $5 50@6 25; fair to good, $4 75@5 40; choice heifers, $5 25@6 00; fair to good, $4 50@4 90; light to fair, $3 00@3 90; best fat cows, $4 00@5 00; fair to good, $3 50@4 25; canners to common, $1 50@3 00; export bulls, $4 00@4 50; butchers, $3 25@3 75; extreme, $4 85@5 00; good fresh cows and springers strong; $25@60 00 higher; common very dull; choice cows, $50 00@60 00; fair to good, $35 00@45 00; common, $20 00@25 00; good feeders and stockers, active demand and steady; common, thin stockers, feeders, $4 00@4 40; milkers, $3 50@4 10; stock heifers, $2 75@3 50.

Veals—Receipts, 600 head; strong, 25c higher; tops, $8 25@8 50; fair to good, $6 75@7 75; common to light, $5 50@6 50. Hogs—Receipts, 21,600 head; strong 10 to 15c higher; good weights; steady on others; heavy, $8 10@8 30; mixed, $7 80@8 00; Yorkers, $7 65@7 75; light do, $7 20@7 50; pigs, $7 20@7 35; roughs, $6 75@7 10; stags, $5 00@6 00; grassers, $7 00@7 50; dairies, $7 50@7 75. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 14,000 head; opened steady; sheep remained firm but lambs eased of 10@15c; top lambs, $5 15@5 60; fair to good, $4 75@5 10; culls to common, $4 00@5 25; yearlings, $4 00@4 50; a few at $4 85; wethers, $4 00@4 25; ewes, $3 25@3 75; sheep, top mixed, $3 75@4 00; fair to good, $3 25@4 50; culls to common, $1 75@3 00.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 18,500 natives; 6,500 Texans. Calves, 800. Texans, 2,000 natives. Corn cattle dull; quarantine, 25@40c lower; native cows, 25c lower; stockers and feeders steady to 25c lower. Choice export and dressed beef steers, $7 60@7 80; fair to good, $5 80@6 95; stockers and feeders, $2 40@4 50; western fed steers, $4 60@4 80; Texas and Indian steers, $2 25@3 80; Texas cows, $2 00@2 80; native cows, $1 25@2 90; native heifers, $2 00@3 75; canners, $1 20@2 00; native calves, $2 50@5 00; bulls, $2 00@3 75. Hogs—Receipts, 2,500 head. Strong to 10c higher. Closed weak at opening prices. Top, $7 22½; bulk of sales, $7 10@7 17½; heavy, $7 15@7 22½; mixed packers and light, $7 05@7 20; Yorkers, $7 00@7 15; pigs, $6 50@7 50. Sheep—Receipts, 5,450 head. Market strong. Native lambs, $3 20@4 25; western lambs, $3 00@4 00; native wethers, $3 75@4 50; western wethers, $2 75@4 00; fed ewes, $3 00@4 05; Texas clipped yearlings, $3 00@3 85; Texas clipped sheep, $2 20@3 20; stockers and feeders, $2 00@3 00.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Beeves—Receipts, 4,616 head. Steers, 10c to 25c lower; bulls and cows, steady; steers, $4 15@6 40; bulls, $2 75@3 60; cows, $1 75@4 00; heifers, $3 25@4 60. Exports tomorrow, 1,200 cattle and 5,880 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 3,021 head, veals firm to 25c higher, grassers and fed calves higher; all sold. Veals, $5 00@8 50; little calves and culls, $4 00@4 50; grassers, $3 25@4 00; dressed veals, 9@12c; dressed barnyard calves, 6@9c. Sheep—Receipts, 3,220 head. Sheep 25@35c lower; lambs closed 25@35c lower. Sheep, $2 00@3 75; extra, $3 90@4 00; lambs, $4 00@6 00; choice and extra, $6 10@6 12½; culls, $3 50@5 00. Hogs—Receipts, 5,050 head; 25@50c higher; receipts, 7,889 head, lower. State hogs, $7 50@7 70; few choice pigs at slightly higher prices.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 22,000 head, including 250 Texans, 5,000 westerns. Slow and steady to 10c higher. Good to prime steers, $7 50@8 50; poor to medium, $4 25@7 00; stockers and feeders, $2 60@5 25; cows, $1 50@5 00; heifers, $2 50@5 00; canners, $1 40@2 50; bulls, $2 25@5 00; calves, $3 00@7 00. Texas fed steers, $3 00@4 60; western steers, $3 75@5 20. Hogs—Receipts today, 24,000 head; tomorrow, 15,000 head; left over, 5,000 head; 5c to 15c higher; close weak. Mixed and butchers, $7 45@8 00; good to choice heavy, $7 30@8 20; light, $7 45@7 85; bulk of sales, $7 50@7 75. Sheep—Receipts, 20,000 head; steady. Lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $2 50@4 00; fair to choice mixed, $2 50@3 25; native lambs, $3 50@5 50.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Butter—Receipts, 7,852 packages. Steady. State dairy, 16@22c; extra creamery, 23c; creamery, common to choice, 18½@22½c. Cheese—Receipts, 1,010 packages. Market steady. Small white and colored, 10¾c; large white and colored, 10½c. Eggs—Receipts, 10,375 packages. Market steady. State and Pennsylvania, 23@27c; western candled, 19½@21c; western uncandled, 17@20c.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 15.—Butter firm and higher; fancy imitation, 18@19c; fancy creamery, 22@23c; fancy ladle, 19@20c; good ladle, 18@19c; store packed, 14@16c. Eggs firm, unchanged. Cheese steady, unchanged; large, 10¾@10½c; medium, 10¾@11c; small, 10¾@11¼c.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 15.—Butter firm, 1c higher; extra western creamery, 23c; do nearby prints, 24c. Eggs firm, good demand; fresh nearby, 22c, loss off; do western, 23c, loss off; do southwestern, 22c, loss off; do southern, 18c, loss off. Cheese firmer; New York full creams, prime small, 11c; do fair to good, small, 10¼@10½c; do prime, large, 10¾@11c; do fair to good, large, 10@10½c.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Butter firm; creameries, 16@22½c; dairies, 15@20c. Eggs firm; fresh, 19½c. Cheese steady, 10¾@11¾c.

Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Drygoods: The week opens with a quieter general demand for cotton goods. There is no change in tone and prices are well maintained for both staple and fancy lines. Print cloths are in request for wide makes at firm prices.

BANKS AND BANKERS.

Farmers Deposit National Bank.

220 FOURTH AVENUE.

SOLICITS BUSINESS.

Butter Makes Straight Advance of Two Cents

PITTSBURGH PRICES FOR FARM PRODUCTS

Heavy Receipts of Hay and Grain—Flour Looking Up. Potatoes and Apples Firm.

Hay, Grain and Feed.

Yesterday was one of the best Mondays of the season in the grain market. A total of 105 cars of hay, grain and feed was received Sunday and Monday, exactly the same number as for the same days last week. Of this amount 80 cars were of hay. The hay is mostly No. 2 timothy, comparatively little No. 1 being marketed. No clover is arriving and very little loose hay is being sold in the city. Large quantities of oats are moving and the receipts of straw have increased noticeably the past few days.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 36 cars oats, 80 cars hay, 6 cars rye, 7 cars straw, 2 cars corn, 2 cars seed; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 7 cars hay, 3 cars oats; Lake Erie railroad, 2 cars oats, 2 cars hay, 2 cars straw; Pittsburgh & Western railroad, 5 cars hay. Total receipts, 155 cars.

Following are the official quotations for hay, millfeed, grain and straw, corrected by the superintendent of the Pittsburgh grain exchange:

Straw—Oat, $7 00@7 50; wheat, $7 00@7 50; rye, $8 50@9 00.

Hay—No. 1, new, $15 75@16 00; No. 2, new, $14 00@14 50; No. 1 mixed, $11 00@12 00; No. 1 clover, $11 00@12 00; prairie, $9 00@10 00; packing, $8 50@9 00; loose from wagon, $16 50@17 50.

Wheat—No. 2 red, winter, 61@62c f. o. b. cars within radius of 60 miles of Pittsburgh.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, shelled, 69@69½c; high mixed, 68@68½c. No. 2 mixed, 66@67c. No. 2 yellow ear, 75@76c; high mixed, 73@74c; No. 2 mixed, 69@70c.

Oats—No. 2 new, white, 37@37½c; extra No. 2, 35½@36c; No. 3, 34@34½c.

Millfeed—White middlings, per ton, No. 2, $19 00@20 00; brown, $17 00@17 50; bran, $16 00@16 50.

Canned Goods.

Standard pie peaches, 80@85c; gallon pie peaches, $2 50@3 00; California L. C. peaches, $1 90@2 25; Maryland peaches, $1 15@1 65; California pears, $1 80@2 00; corn, fancy Maine, $1 20@1 25; red kidney, $2 65@2 70; cherries, white, $2 10@2 25; Lima beans, $1 20@1 40; soaked Lima beans, 75@85c; string do, 60@80c; marrowfat peas, 95@$1 00; early June, $1 00@1 10; soaked peas, 65@85c; California New York apples, gal cans, $3 50@3 60; pineapples, $1 20@2 20; Damson plums, $1 00; California plums, $1 40; raspberries, 80@90c; gooseberries, $1 40@1 50; California tomatoes, $1 00@1 10; fancy do, $1 20@1 30; salmon, 1-lb cans, $1 00@2 05; succotash, 1-lb cans, 65@$1 40; chipped beef, 1-lb cans, $2 50@2 75; corned and roast beef, 1-lb cans, $2 00@2 75; roast beef, cans, $1 50@2 50; mackerel, 2 and 3-lb cans, broiled, $1 75@2 00; sardines, domestic, ¼s, $3 75@4 00; mustard, ½s, $3 00@3 75; French, ¼s, 9@25c; oysters, 1-lb, full weight, 80c@$1 25; 1-lb lunch, flat cans, $1 10; baked beans with tomato sauce, 95c@$1 40.

Groceries.

The flour market is heading up in the west and indications point to a stiffening of prices here. A few days ago the price on fancy spring patents, which was shaded to $4 05, per barrel, was $4 10@4 20 straight and it remained firm yesterday at the latter figure, with a little talk of $4 20. In the coffee market jobbers have aroused considerable curiosity by their large purchases during the last three days, which would seem to indicate that they have discovered something in the green market likely to force the price up soon. Reports from the tomato districts indicate poor ripening weather and a short supply. Standard canned tomatoes as a result are now firm at $1 00 and $1 10, with a strong demand.

Flour—Jobbers' prices: Fancy spring patents, $4 10@4 20; fancy winter patents, $3 90@4 00; straight winter, $3 80@3 90; bakers' spring, $3 60@3 60; rye, $3 45@3 60; graham, $4 00@4 50; cornmeal, bbl., $3 65@3 80; 10-lb. cotton sacks, 19@21c.

Sugar—Standard granulated, 4.80c; fine, 4.80c; 2-lb cartons, 5c; 5-lb jute bags, 4.95c; powdered, 4.90c; powdered xxxx, 4.95c; cubes, 5.05c; 2 and 5-lb cartons, 5c; confectioners' A, 4.95c; coffee A, 4.45@4.50c; No. 1 yellow, 4.30c; No. 2 do, 4.25c; No. 3 do, 4.20c. Quotations are for Pittsburgh and Allegheny wagon delivery. Add 5c per bbl for rail shipments to points within a radius of 50 miles of Pittsburgh.

Cereals—Rolled oats, bbl., $5 00; keg, 22 85; packages, $2 45@3 00; oatmeal, bbls., $5 50; packages, $2 60@2 75.

Molasses—Fancy refined, 30@32c; choice do, 26@29c; prime do, 22@25c; new open kettle, 37@40c; fancy sugar syrup, 30@32c; sugar and cane, 25@28c; syrup, 22@25c; half barrels 2c higher; 5-lb., $1 25; 5-lb., $2 20; 10-lb., $4 00 per dozen.

Coffee—Roasted, bulk, Rio, 10¾@12c; Santos, 12¼@13½c; Maracaibo, 17@17½c; Peaberry, 17@18c; Caracas, 19@19¼c; Golden Rio, 14@15c; Java, 26@29c; Mocha, 25½c; standard brands, 1-lb pkgs., 10.80c (with rebate of ¾c allowed to retailers); high grades, 1-lb pkgs., 14.30@16.30c.

Beans—Prime Marrow, bu., $2 45@2 50; H. P. navy, $2 00@2 05; red kidney, $2 65@2 70; California Lima, 5¼@5½c.

Peas—

HANDSOME OFFER MADE FOR PENN AVENUE CHURCH

Second Presbyterian Congregation Will Vote on Proposition to Sell.

THIRD AVENUE HOUSE BRINGS $23,000.

Pennsylvania Railroad Wants More Ground in Twenty-First Ward—Thornburg to Be Enlarged—New Lot Plan.

The congregation of the Second Presbyterian church will meet next Monday evening to consider an offer which has been made to the trustees for their property at the northwest corner of Penn avenue and Seventh street. The offer came through a prominent real estate firm of this city which has been negotiating for the property for some time. The exact amount of the offer could not be learned, but it is known to have been between $3,000 and $3,500 a foot for the Penn avenue frontage, which would make the amount between $330,000 and $385,000 for the 110 feet. The lot has a depth along Seventh street of 120 feet. Despite the fact that numerous large offers have been reported for the property, it was stated on good authority that this is the only one which the trustees felt bound to submit to the congregation. Who the brokers are dealing for is not known, but that they are persistent in their determination to secure the corner is shown by the fact that they have repeatedly raised their figure and that this offer came in answer to a proposition from the trustees that if a certain amount were stipulated it would be brought before the congregation.

In case the offer is accepted, which is hardly likely, the church will not vacate for a year or more. If a sale should be effected at any time the old Second Presbyterian church will still be a downtown institution, as the congregation is practically a unit on this matter.

Third Avenue Investment.

The property at No. 442 Third avenue has been sold through the Gordon Smith Company for $23,000 cash. Title to the property was secured from Joseph Vogel, who conveyed it to Robert M. Reynolds. It is said that the purchase was made in the interest of another party who takes the property for an investment. The lot has a frontage of 21 feet on the south side of the avenue above Grant street and a depth of 80 feet. A two-story brick house occupied as a dwelling constitutes the improvements.

A story was current yesterday to the effect that options were being secured by the Diamond National bank on the property on the northwest side of Market street, extending from Fifth avenue to Diamond street. The block includes six properties with a total frontage of about 120 feet in Market street and a depth along Fifth avenue of 210 feet to Union street. The buildings are three and four-story brick structures, with one exception, and are all said to be leased for a long term of years. Officials of the Diamond National bank denied that any such deal was contemplated, and the rumor that the property was being secured for another downtown bank was also denied by officials of that institution. Some time ago a deal was on for the whole block, but the difficulty of getting the tenants out was given as a reason why it fell through.

Pennsylvania in Simen Street.

Agents of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company have recently made a canvass of the property owners along Simen street in the Twenty-first ward with a view of securing the lots for tracks. The street runs from Fifth avenue extension to Dallas avenue and the railroad tracks form one side of it. In the other side are about 20 properties, the houses being 8 and 10-room brick and frame structures, nearly new, which rent for from $35 to $40 a month. As far as known no sales have been made. The yards of the Pennsylvania at this point are greatly crowded, owing to the large number of stock cars which are held here for entrance to the stock yards. If the Simen street frontage is secured it is believed that more property on the south of this street will be acquired and a big addition made to the railroad yards.

The city engineers have again been busy with a new survey of the property along Linden avenue and near-by streets with a view to establishing a grade to the Lincoln avenue bridge. Until the height of this latter structure, which is now in the hands of the Pennsylvania, can be determined no radical move will be made toward changing the properties purchased along Linden avenue, Kelly street and Hamilton avenue which the railroad secured in the winter for its new cross town line.

Will Be Model Suburb.

The Real Estate Trust Company has been appointed exclusive agent of the property owned by the Thornburg Land Company, adjoining Crafton on the west. "Thornburg," as the new suburb has been named, originally contained about 200 acres but nearly 250 of the lots have been sold and a large number of handsome residences erected during the last 18 months. It is the intention of the company now to plot a large portion of the balance and put the lots on the market at once. The suburb is unique in its plan and management and is modeled after the famous "Home Sites" of Boston. The lots will have a frontage of 100 feet with a depth of 200 to 300 feet making them much more attractive for residence sites than those of the ordinary suburb. The company also has a unique way of protecting every purchaser from any outlandish scheme of building, that his neighbor might harbor. Architect S. T. McClarren is employed by the company constantly to plan and superintend the erection of the houses. No two dwellings are built alike and the buildings restrictions are very rigid. About 15 houses are now in course of erection, most of them being built of Pompeian brick and shingle in various designs. The average cost of the houses is from $6,000 to $8,000 and it is said the properties, when ready for the buyer to occupy, could not be duplicated in the East End for less than from $15,000 to $20,000 each. All the streets in the plan are macadamized and gas, water and electric lights are provided. With the improvements that are proposed for the West End street car lines, as soon as the power plant at Brunot's Island is completed, Thornburg will be one of the most convenient residence districts about the city.

Ready for the Tunnels.

Haas and Lauinger are out with one of the neatest booklets of the season, descriptive of "Fetterman," their new suburb at the end of the two proposed Mt. Washington tunnels. In addition to these two proposed lines, the plan already has the advantage of the Mt. Lebanon Hill Top line and the new Charleroi line. It is estimated that ten minutes will suffice for a trip through either of the tunnels from Fifth avenue to Fetterman. Since the old Judge Fetterman farm was bought, a few months ago, streets have been graded and all the modern improvements are being installed as rapidly as possible. The lots are selling at from $75 to $500 and in the hands of this firm, which has made a great success of suburban properties, are sure to have a rapid sale.

Wellesley avenue: S. H. Lloyd sold for Charles E. Miller & Co. to Robert M. Campbell an 8 room reception hall house at the corner of Wellesley avenue and Portland street, for $7,000. The purchaser is president of Oakland who will occupy the property as a home.

East End Purchase.

Margaretta street: The Aronson Realty Co. sold for Attorney Leon J. Lang to Jacob Tannenbaum an improved lot, 128x100 feet, at the corner of Margaretta and Fannel streets. The consideration was withheld.

Bennett street: Simon B. Stupakoff sold to John P. Schaffer an improved lot, 72.5x135.5 feet at the southeast corner of Bennett and Sterrett streets, Twenty-first ward, $8,625.

Holden street: Charles L. Kenney sold to Mary D. Johnston an improved lot, 29x92 feet, on the south side of Holden street, near Maryland avenue, Twentieth ward, for $7,200.

Colwell street: Peter Lazawitz sold to Samuel Rubenstein an improved lot, 20x100 feet, on the south side of Colwell street, Eleventh ward, for $4,300.

Butler street: John Hutchison sold to Irene V. Casey of Sharpsburg, an improved lot, 50x100 feet, on the south side of Butler street, near Fifty-fourth street, Eighteenth ward, for $4,800.

Colvin street: Philomena Elker sold to Elizabeth Rixner an improved lot, 20x100 feet, in Colvin street, Seventeenth ward, for $3,800.

Many Small Deals.

Vickroy street: Casper H. Kleinman sold to Wayland Rupert an improved lot, 23x81 feet, on the north side of Vickroy street, near Stevenson street, Sixth ward, for $4,000.

Trinity street: Mary A. A. McGrew sold to S. Panas an improved lot, 80x100 feet, in Trinity street, Eighteenth ward, for $1,600.

Mt. Vernon street: The Beechwood Improvement Company, Limited, sold to George H. Schickler a lot, 25x85 feet, in Mt. Vernon street, Twenty-first ward, for $1,250.

Pearl street: Jacob Hoffman sold to Joseph Herringer an improved lot, 16x100 feet, in Pearl street, Sixteenth ward, for $1,400.

Forty-sixth street: Dennis A. Duff sold to Frank Lepros an improved lot, 20x100 feet, in Forty-sixth street, Seventeenth ward, for $1,600.

Roberts alley: Carl Blaiawicz sold to Frank Siwesky an improved lot, 20x70 feet, in Roberts alley, near Lawrenceview street, Thirteenth ward, for $1,350.

Race street: Gavin McMaster sold to John Quina a lot, 25x93 feet, in Race street, near Homewood avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $1,160.

More New Buildings.

Wayne street: S. Clemelanski sold to Andreas Wiesnewski an improved lot, 20x60 feet, near Wayne street, Thirteenth ward, for $1,025.

Thirty-third street: Joseph B. Wise sold to Elmore Culhane a lot, 37x100 feet, in Thirty-third street, near Hill street, Thirteenth ward, for $1,400.

Morgan street: James W. Beck sold to Sarah P. Bond an improved lot, 24x100 feet, on the east side of Morgan street, Third ward, for $3,500.

Building permits were issued to W. G. Weimer, for a two-story frame dwelling in Johnston street, Twenty-third ward, to cost $2,700; to E. H. Hartman, for a two-story frame dwelling in Oliphant street, Twenty-first ward, to cost $2,200; to David Norce, for a two-story frame dwelling in Gladstone street, Twenty-third ward, to cost $1,500; to Thomas Blackham, for a two-story frame dwelling in Greenfield avenue, Twenty-third ward, to cost $2,800, and to James Jones, for a two-story frame dwelling in Morse alley, Twenty-third ward, to cost $900.

Mortgages Recorded.

Depras Frank to Kordecki B & L A, Sept 15, '02 ..... $ 1,500
Weisberger Harry to Peoples Bk of McK, Sept 15, '02 3,000
Baldwin Chas H to Ohio Val Tr Co, Sept 12, '02 900
Same to same, Sept 12, '02 900
Coburn Agnes W to Union Tr Co, Aug 28, '02 2,500
*Knorr Wm L to Anna Zem, Sept 12, '02 12,000
Provines Ada G et ux to E B Phillips, Sept 12, '02 1,500
Clark Frank P to D Pierce, Sept 11, '02 1,500
Shaw L Parks to J W Bainbridge, July 25, '02 900
*Brown Frank to Wm Glock, Sept 5, '02 2,800
*Conley Jos et ux to Jas H Henry, Aug 26, '02 800
*Willington Sam'l to Farmer & Mech S B & L A, Sept 10, '02 1,200
*Gillingham Mary L to same, Sept 9, '02 1,200
*Hahn Frank to same, Sept 9, '02 1,200
*Walker Sylvia A to same, Sept 9, '02 .. 1,200
*Throckmorton Silas H to same, Sept 7, '02 1,200
Reinhard Wm to Wm Zoller, Aug 27, '02 12,000
McMullen Richard to Verona B & L A, Aug 12, '02 1,000
Walden Jno S to C P Wells, Aug 1, '02 2,000
Martin Rufus et al to Allemannia Fire Ins Co, Sept 12, '02 4,000
Same to same, Sept 12, '02 5,000
*Mallory Patrick to Germania Sav Bk, Sept 15, '02 1,250
Froelich Jacob C to Jno M Kapp, Sept 6, '02 1,000
*Affaber Bernard to H A Fischer, Sept 13, '02 1,200
*Hollil Jno H to Jno Quina et ux, Sept 1, '02 4,000
Grant Daniel to Elias J Norris, June 30, '02 8,300
*Doerman Edward to G A Wright, Sept 3, '02 1,200
Winters Chas M to Thos E McClary et al, Sept 4, '02 850
Rubery Bertha et al to Wm Households Sept 12, '02 500
Caplan Gutman to Melissa Palmer, Sept 2, '02 2,000
Crow Nathaniel to Jno J Crawford, Aug 28, '02 3,300
Schoopf David to A A Reineman, July 25, '02 6,000
Kerin Jno to Jos Kolar, Sept 4, '02 .. 775
*Bingler Wm F to Geo W J Bissell, Sept 15, '02 800
*Knorr Wm L to Peter Zern, Sept 12, '02 11,000
Winters Chas M to Adaline M Smith, Sept 4, '02 1,500
Metzger Martin to J A Calvert, July 13, '02 1,200
Freiberger Jno H et ux to Jno S Lamble, July 31, '02 2,100
Seidel Jno to Ben Franklin B & L A, Sept 15, '02 300
Jenkinson Wm to Bellevue Realty Sav & Tr Co, Sept 10, '02 6,000
Ashbrook Jas et ux to Keystone State B & L A, Sept 11, '02 1,800

Transfers Recorded.

Hoffner Elias M to Adam Kisell et al, Sept 2, '02, 1st ward, N Braddock borough, 50x100 ..... $ 900
Vanse James Jr et ux to Timothy J Hickey, Aug 30, '02, 10th ward, Pittsburgh, 20x70, Kincaid st 8,100
Thompson F J et ux to William J Metzgar, May 31, '02, 35th ward, Pittsburgh, 24x68, Race st 3,375
Thompson F J et ux to Catharine Kelly, July 1, '02, 35th ward, Pittsburgh, 47x68, Race st 3,000
Bannon Sarah J to William H Dorn, Sept 1, '02, Elliott borough, 2 lots, Rebecca st 1,500
Stalder Frank S to Joseph L Burger, Aug 13, '02, 6th ward, Allegheny, 12x120, Beaver ave 1,300
Ammold Jno to Frank S Stalder, July 15, '02, 6th ward, Allegheny, 12x120, Beaver ave 1,300
Murray Edward to James J Malone, July 1, '02, 20th ward, Pittsburgh, College st 14,000
Damm John A et ux to Amelia W Chartener, Sept 1, '02, 28th ward, Pittsburgh, 4 lots, Washington ave 3,700
Powell George N et al to Charles K Strobel, Sept 6, '02, Avalon borough, Center st 4,500
Emanuel James G et ux to Christian Heinfeth, Sept 29, '01, Mifflin township, 20x120, Horner ave 2,000
Pease Lida M F et al to James S Campbell, June 4, '02, 13th ward, Pittsburgh, Center ave 6,600
Fricke J B to James S Campbell, June 4, '02, 13th ward, Pittsburgh, 80x120, Iowa st 2,000
Curry Catherine to Maude McKinley, Sept 8, '02, McCandless twp, 2 lots, Rupert Wayland to Casper H Kleinman, Sept 10, '02, Avalon borough, 50x95, Marie st 5,500
Stevenson John W et ux to John Lovett, June 27, '02, Wilkinsburg borough, 90x85, Coal st 2,250
Highland Land Company, limited, to Ella B L, 7th, Dec 29, '04, 8th ward, McKeesport, Bowman ave 1,200
Taylor John A et ux to Jacob Greenberger, Aug 20, '02, 19th ward, Pittsburgh, 28x109, Euclid ave 7,300
Hays George L et ux et al to Samuel P Trimble, Jul, 21, '02, Bellevue borough, 50x150, Alley B 2,000
Tweeger W H et ux to Dr. B M Hanna, June 12, '02, 16th ward, Pittsburgh, Craig st 30,000
Jacober Ferdinand et ux to Frank J Guth et ux, July 30, '02, 20th ward, Pittsburgh, 20x132, Cedar st 2,900
Hoffman Lorenz P to Philip J Hoffman, Dec 16, '01, 16th ward, Pittsburgh, 20x100, Liberty ave 2,300
Nevin Joseph T et al et ux to Martha H B McKnight, Aug 20, '02, 2nd ward, Beerkley, 120x133½, Thorn st 18,500
Henry James R to Marietta A Conley, Aug 25, '02, 20th ward, Pittsburgh, 24x120, Lehigh ave 4,800
Voelker Mary to John A. Ripperger, Aug 16, '02, 1st ward, Millvale borough, 22x190, Grant ave 6,000
Paine Robert T Jr to Mrs. Francisca Barlet, Aug 19, '02, Ingram borough, 1 lot, West Ingram 340
Pugh James L to Peter Forkaly, Aug 21, '02, 9th ward, Allegheny, 21x98, Preble ave 2,750
Herron Samuel to Marrion W Boyd, July 26, '02, Verona borough, 67x101, First st 1,400
Biggerstaff Thomas et al to J Leonard Acuson, Aug 14, '02, 5th ward, Pittsburgh, Washington st 10,500
Duff Howard S to C T Marsh, Sept 11, '02, 14th ward, Pittsburgh, 24x99, Kennett square 6,500
Fricke Alice C to James S Campbell, June 4, '02, 13th ward, Pittsburgh, 120x140, Iowa st 2,000
Richards C S et ux to W H Semmens, Aug 25, '02, Wilkins twp, Seneca st, Conley Frank G to D H Wallace, Aug 16, '02, 19th ward, Pittsburgh, 30x88, Flavell st 2,300
Remington Edward P to William C Hetrus, Aug 15, '02, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, Sta, Frankstown ave 7,875
Laffmer Mary E to Frank J Riddle, May 16, '02, Turtle Creek borough, 50x80, Maple ave 1,750
Koe Henry J et ux to Robert Marshall, Sept 8, '02, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, 28x120, Dallas ave 5,150
Anderson Hezekiah et ux to Ruben Baker, Sept 6, '02, 11th ward, Pittsburgh, 22x100, Center ave 3,000
Shields Robert J et ux to James Brown et ux, April 1, '02, Elizabeth twp 750
Homer Henry et ux to Frank G Conley, Aug 15, '02, 20th ward, Pittsburgh, 30x88, Flavel st 2,300
Mercantile Trust Co to Elizabeth Law, June 30, '02, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, Fletcher alley 3,500
Gray Charles A et ux to William N Weaver, Aug 28, '02, N Braddock borough, 25x140, Beech ave 2,200
Shickler George H et ux to William L McKissen, Aug 2, '02, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, 25x95, Mt. Vernon st ....

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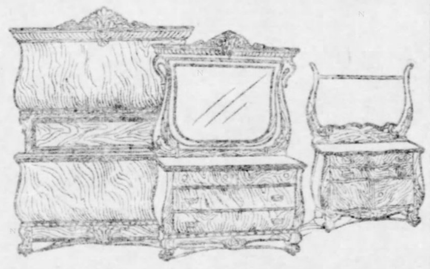

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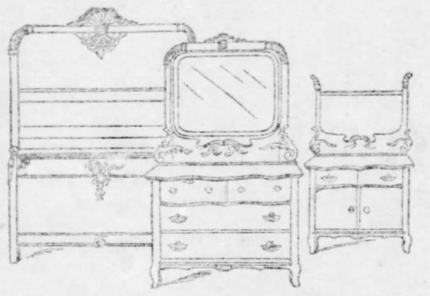

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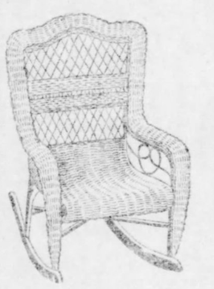

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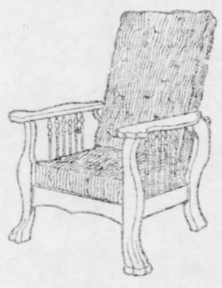

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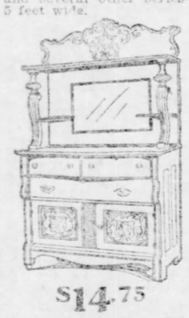

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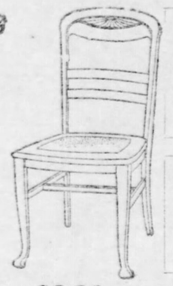

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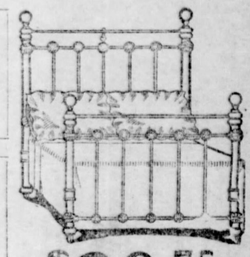

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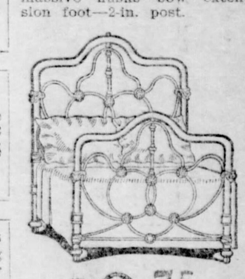

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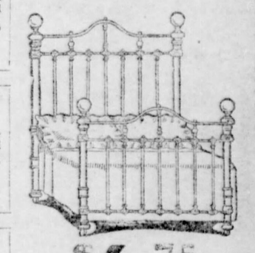

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